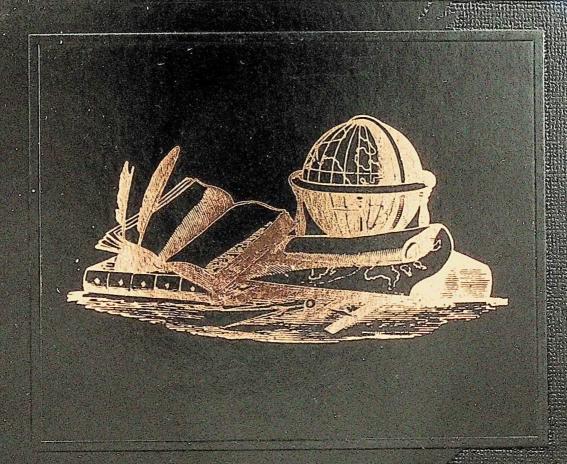
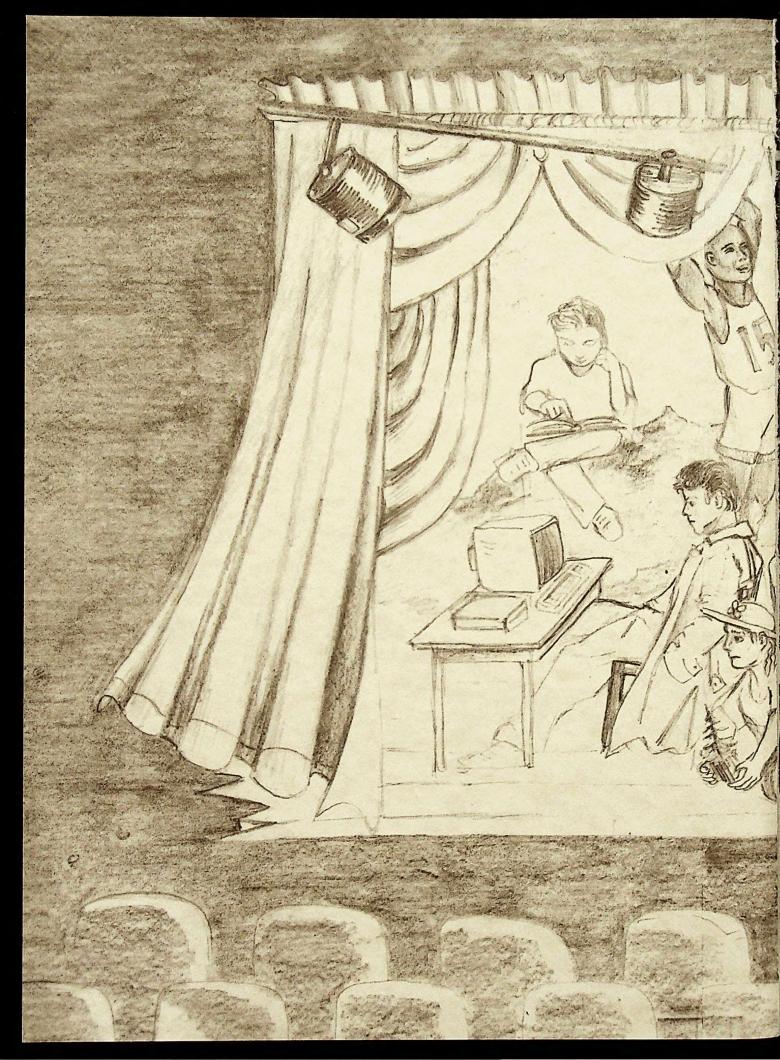
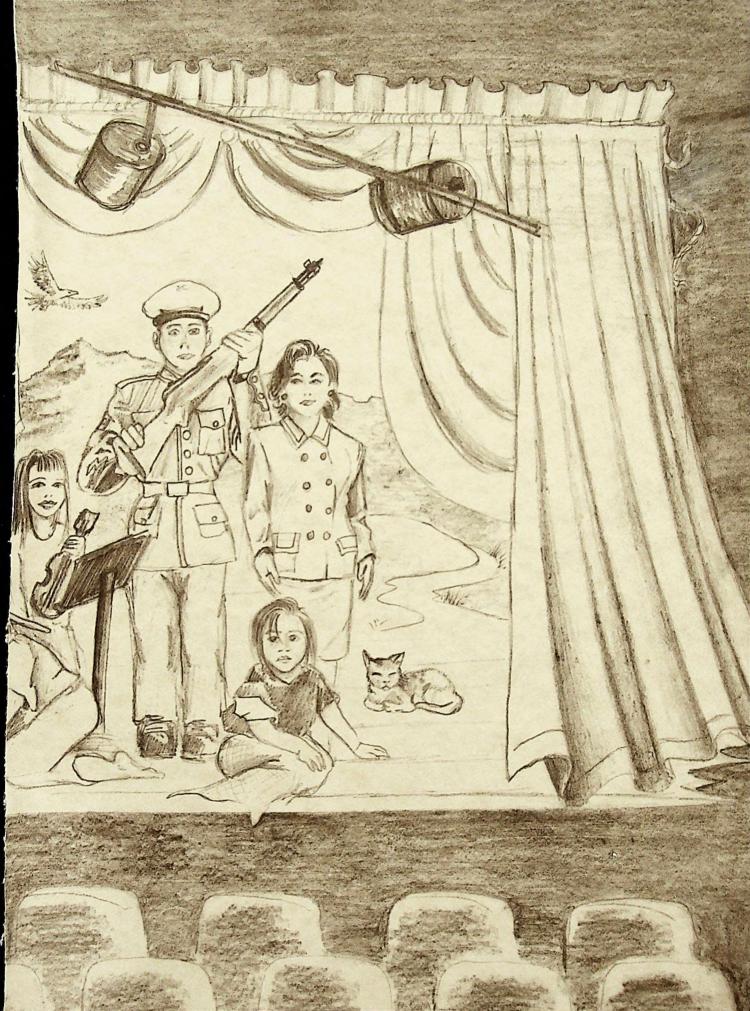
#### All The World's A Stage



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### Prologue - All the World's a Stage



With a similar feeling of excitement when the curtain rises in the theatre. an audience is waiting when each individual ventures into the world. Each person's approach at his entrance is unique; the strategies range from quiet tentativeness to bold fervor. The first role we play is of a helpless and often demanding baby, and as we grow older, we experience some exciting and frightening role changes. Our accummulated experiences alter our characters, making them more complex. We are in a constant quest for the identity most suitable for ourselves, experimenting with one role and then another just as an actor will try to play different characters to see which type he feels

most comfortable as. In school we attempt at being leaders or followers or even both by joining clubs, participating in sports, and challenging ourselves academically to discover where our skills and interests are which will eventually be used to determine the roles that we will play. As on the stage of a live theatre, any mistakes we make can not be erased, but the stage of the world contains many continuous interwoven stories that are written only as events occur; therefore, we have more freedom and what will happen is often a mystery. In this book, parts of your story and some of your roles have been recorded so that you may be your own audience.





Above: Who's who? If the mysterious face behind the curtain of hair is revealed, two mirror images will be seen. Shawna and Kelley Stein are identical twins, but their differences in character belie the illusion of uniformity.

Top Left: Trudging through the halls, Chris Dolhaniuk looks bewildered while Harold Semenuk is amused by their confrontation with the sudden flash of light.

Left: Will you hurry it up? While rummaging through what appears to be a sickingly meticulous locker, Pam Bowen bursts into laughter. The reason for this: our photographer is taking forever to snap the picture!

# howtime

"The whining schoolboy, with his satchel/ And shining snail/ Unwilling to school". Sound familiar? Like Shakespeare's "schoolboy" (no offense to the female popula tion - take it as a universal term), all of us know the agony of crawling out of bed after pulling an all-nighter and dragging ourselves to the dreaded place called school But, wait! There's the proverbial silver-lining in this situation...our life out of class! class!

Lunch hour is that blessed time between classes when you either go to the mall or take part in the diverting activities planned by our renowned student council. I

you (can't squish twenty-four people into a bug your problem, no questions morning face, creeping like a for mutilate pumpkins with sharp instruments of torture at home! You also have to remember those huge social gatherings in the gym such as the Pep Rally and the Assembly where you meet new people like John Alston, a motivational speaker. Let's not forget the best holiday of the year, Christmas, when M.E. has activities galore. You have the fantastic Snowflake Festival, the ever popular Candy Grams, room decorating which makes teachers become vicious competitive creatures, and the best event of all - Christmas hampers. If you're still looking for something to do,

clubs and sports can cure asked. From Students' Council where our future PM may dwell to "Jeopardy", our world's future nuclear physicists, and from water polo to football, M.E. will always keep you busy. In short, when you slither out of bed in the mornings, think of things other than classes and teachers. Think about the activities and remember to enjoy student life!



"It's nice here (at M.E.) ... the atmosphere...you can make a lot of friends." - Ricky Sahota (Gr. 10)



Below: Harold Semenuk is enjoying the delicious french fries during the blessed hour of lunch.

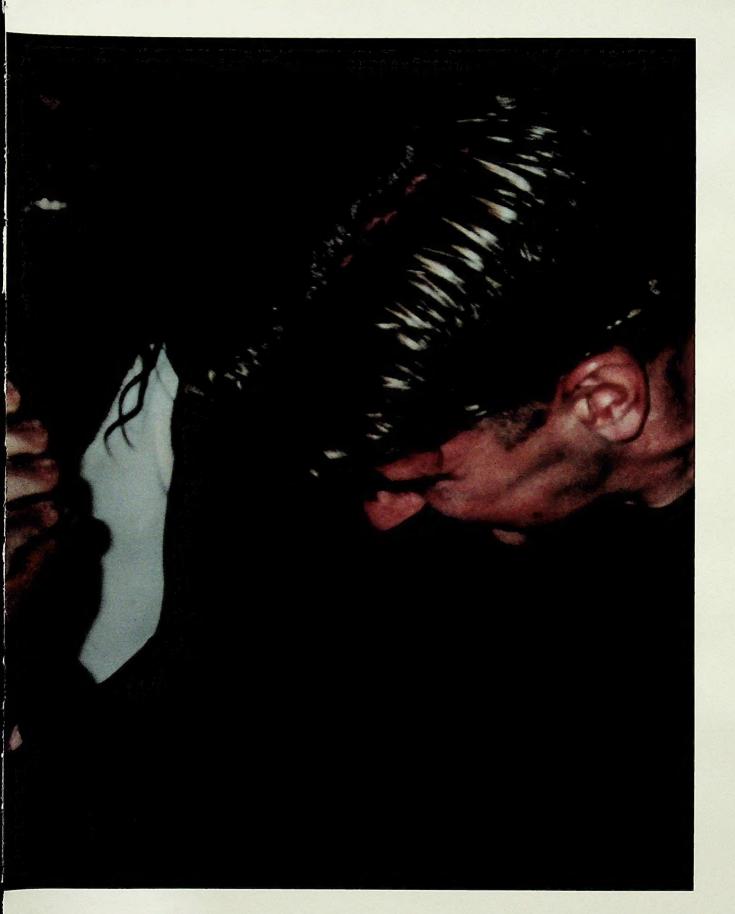




Above: Another fantastic activity to participate in. Here, Brad Crowfoot nervously waits for jello to splatter in his face, while Mike Horta says, "No

Right: Veda Maharajh is amazed by Graham Michael's great feats of strength.





#### Auditions

Back to school! With it comes lockers, new teachers, lost buspasses, and registration, walking into the large gym and living bombarded by table after table and line-ups that go on until the end of time.

On August 24, all M.E.L. students were "herded" into the gym to register. Because of the change from arena scheduling to computer scheduling, many grade 11's and 12's were eager to express their opinions on the new procedure. "I think we should have a choice," said Shawna Steflud. Daniell Salahub agreed and added that, "it should also be a privilege to arrange your own timetable". Cutting through the opinions was Constable Kristiansen who had a great time hollering out the names of the unfortunate people who had forgotten to sign their I.D. cards.

Among all of this were the new grade tens who possessed different views on registration and attending a new school. The consensus was that the line-ups were too long and the procedure was a little confusing. Frotunately, the volunteers and Students' Council members helped to make everything less painful by doing all the hard work.

Above it all were the grade twelves. "We're the cream of the crop," said Fiona Foo. "It's the most arousing thing." However arousing it may be, it is just the rehearsal before the performance!

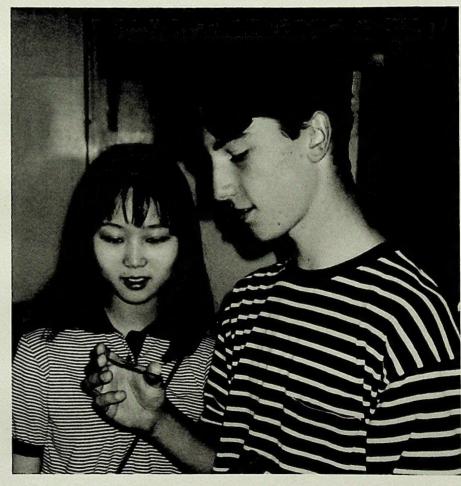
Top Left: "No, I told you my name is Wilson Quan, not Eccabob Bubbaloosh."

Top Right: He even makes sure the registration fees are paid on time! Constable Kristiansen is always on duty.

Right: Cecilia Wong and Dan Ozegovic plot on how to spend Mr. Bereton's lost credit card.



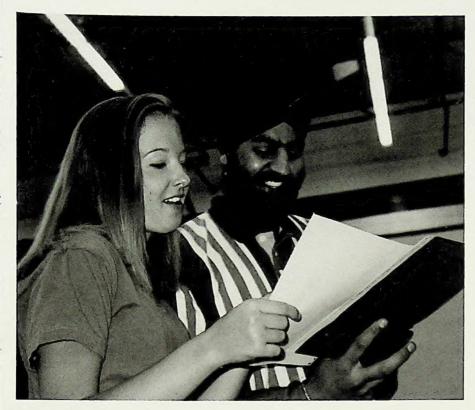






Registration

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Top Left: Amarjit Panesar asks Dana Dagel, "How did you get Basket Weaving 30 and I didn't?"

Left: Leanne Sprake never expected her picture to be in the yearbook..well, SUR-PRISE! SURPRISE!

Top Right: Tim Shew, Stephen Paholek, and Sherry Houle wonder why their I.D. pictures never look like they want them to.

Above: No wonder Crystal Cromwell, Brea Chouinard, and Debra Boyko can't work the radio. Where have you heard of a gym with a "plug-in" in the middle?



# Cast Party

This year, M.E. LaZerte's traditional back-to-school pep rally was held. This was a rally to display "old and new". Traditionally, a pep rally is used to raise school spirit to amounts unheard of, and like every year we used this time to bid farewell (sort of) to our Senior Boys Football team as they were about to leave for El Camino, California to play a Canada-USA friendly. Now with the new, M.E.L.'s unique "Step Team" performed a exuberant display of talent and rhythm which boosted our spirits to another level. After our rhythmic dancers concluded their awe-inspiring dance extravaganza, we settled down and carefully listened to a general yet mildly humerous speech of how the control of the school depends on us by Biju Thomas.







Top Right: Biju Thomas adresses his faithful followers.

Above: The crowd looks enthusiastic as they await the arrival of LaZerte's unique Step Team.

Right: Veda Maharajh's beautiful voice won the audience's admiration as her strong, clear notes sounded.





#### Those Tittle Buggers







At the beginning of the school year on September 17, twenty-four Voyageurs participated in the Capital Raceway High School Drags Bug Jam competition and squished their way to victory. The team, the "LaZerte Sardines", became much closer to each other in the time period of half an hour than they ever would. After two practice runs, it was time for the real thing. Led by the team captain, Wayne Chow, all the competitors piled themselves into the Volkswagon Beetle. The competition was a fun and exciting way to raise money for the school. On October 27, Gord Craig and Ronda Porpwich from Capital Raceway, and Gerry Hanna from Pepsi presented Wayne Chow with a team picture and a cheque for \$300 at the assembly which would be used by Students' Council for winning first prize. If you ever need to transport a horde of people in only one car, ask these participants for advice!

Left: What a tight squeeze! Twenty-two people in a tiny car. Yikes!

Top Left: Dion Kelly and Lisa Russell get a breath full of tainted air.

Top Right: Sunita Master looks very comfortable as she is squeezed into position.

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### Only a Practice Run

A myriad of giants, running and stretching, overflowed the green fields of M.E. LaZerte and into those of John Barnett Elementary on September 3. They were football players from 23 different schools in Alberta. Being athletes, they had no trouble rising early on a Saturday morning; the football jamboree started at 10:00 a.m.

The shrills of whistles and the shouts of encouraging coaches could be heard as the games commenced. This year, M.E. LaZerte played four teams: Wetaskawin, St. Albert, Queen Elizabeth, and Dawson Creek. School spirit and the love of football drew parents and students to the sidelines to watch with anticipation. The M.E.L. players were a little tentative during the first game with Wet-

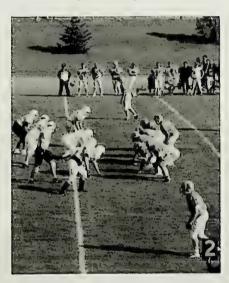
askawin, tying them in one game. Davik Brooks, a member of the team, explained, "(We had) not enough practice", but by the second game, they were prepared, playing an improved game with St. Albert and drawing excited cheers from both the team members and the spectators. They won two games against St. Albert. Queen Elizabeth proved to be more challenging, and we lost one game to them, but the loyal M.E. LaZerte football fan, Christine Lygo maintained her view: "We have an awesome team!"

Half-way through the day, judgments were already made by some. According to David Brooks, the team's strengths were the defense and the running game, but a different point of view was received from Ceriaco

Quiza, a spectator: "To open, the defense is too open." Some of the players who had played exceptionally well were Cody Gretzan and the team's lineback, Shawn Smith.

To avoid a line that would stretch a mile long, the teams were scheduled to have lunch at different times. Organized by the Students' Council, a team of hamburger flippers which consisted of students and staff, including the principal, Mrs. Harrison, good naturedly barbecued over a thousand burgers to feed all the coaches and players. Boggles the mind doesn't it?

At 2:00, the fields began to empty. They will again feel the weight of a throng of sweaty giants and of enthusiastic football fans in another year.



Above: The Voyageurs line up, tense with anticipation as they wait for the ball to be passed during their game with Wetaskawin.

Right: OUCH! Minh Trak was injured during the first game with Wetaskawin. Who leaves a football game without a few bumps and bruises?







Left: Do you think it's hot enough? Mr. Myck and students' council member Brea Chouinard were two of the hamburger flippers at the football jamboree. It is amazing how much a person could eat after a few hours of vigorous activity.









Top Right: What is a football game without an audience cheering for the team? Veda Maharajh was one of the enthusiastic spectators at the jamboree.

Above: In football, you must be agressive like this you see. Mr. Kates, one of the football coaches, is giving some advice to Dean Cardinal, Ryan Khaen, and Mike Horda.

Left: The artful dodger...Brian Ross tries to evade a charging member of the Dawson Creek football team.



# Masquerade

All Hollows' Eve ... a day when witches gather around a boiling cauldron and celebrate the beginning of a new year...or a day when people dress up and ridicule themselves, depending on your beliefs. Apparently, the students of M.E. LaZerte chose to do the latter, or at least some, namely those who were brave enough to show off their improved selves in the costume contest. The winner? Well, the scariest costume went to Wavne Chow who sported a tight black dress that made him look like a new...shall we say woman? The laundry basket (a.k.a. Crystal Emberley) and the mermaid (a.k.a. Shari Koshman) tied for the title of the most original costumes. Finally, the canoe, Stephania Semeniuk, won a prize for school spirit. The prizes? Bags of chocolate naturally, which are not something witches would find suitable for their Halloween, Perhaps "eye of newt, and toe of frog" would have been better prizes.



Top Right: Stephania Semeniuk showed her school spirit and took one of the top prizes in the costume contest. Her buddy, Crystal Emberley, was also a winner.

Top Left: Zahara Noormahamed, Wayne Chow, and Lynn Ramdater give their sexiest poses for the camera. Wayne took top prize for the scariest costume.

Above: Dayna Serediak and Christine Woolinga as Ragedy Ann and Andy.







Above: Oksana Bayda, Lana Burger, Lisa Russel, Raiven Hanson, and Sherri Koshman give us their most daring pose. Oh la la!

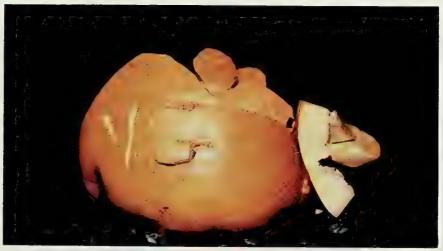


#### Smashing Pumpkins



What would Hallowe'en be like without a great pumpkin carving contest? It's an annual tradition and LaZerte students were definitely up for an intense competition of pumpkin mutilation. Four enthusiastic teams faced the challenge. Though all the carvings were wonderful, only one was able to win. Miss Rocco, Mrs. Malayko, and Mrs. Nordheimer had the tough job of choosing the winning pumpkin. After careful consideration the judges decided on the dashing pirate pumpkin who stole the hearts of the judges with his devilish smile and rakish countenance. His creators were Dana Dagel, Jennifer Raaen, Dackie Schur, and Crys Tremblay. All in all the contest was a smash.







Above: The Annual Edmonton Ginou Pumpkin Massacre.

Above: Is it school spirit or is it art?

Top Left: And the winners are...Jennifer Raaen, Jackie Schur, Crys Tremblay, Dana Dagel, and the dashing buccanneer pumpkin.

Far Left: Ali Amlani, Cindy Esteves, and Kim Ly dive into the pumpkin in hopes of winning. Also, they received an honourable mention.



#### Eskis at M.E.

**During Reading Week the Edmonton** Eskimo Football Club sent players out to M.E. LaZerte to discuss the importance of education. Malvin Hinter, Malik Jackson and Robert Holland spent the lunch hour talking to students about their roles as athletes in the community. Robert Holland stressed the importance of discipline, collaboration, and commitment to achieving one's goals. Without a doubt, these outstanding players all agreed that they were positively influenced by teachers throughout their high school career. Along with receiving pictures and autographs, M.E. LaZerte students were left with a strong parting message... "The decisions young people make now will affect them for the rest of their lives. Stay in School!!"

- by Ms. Smith



Top right: Malik Jackson answers patiently as he is bombarded with many questions.

Top left: Tommy Issa, Wallis Wong, Shane Yacie, and Joe Densizue believe that a presentation on the importance of education is worth their lunch hour!!

Above: Malvin Hunter talks about the importance of staying in school.

Right: Staying in school is important and Robert Holland's serious demeanor when he addresses the subject clearly supports this fact!









#### Double Vision



Below: Many wouldn't be able to tell Kelly and Shauna Stein apart if it wasn't for their different hairstyles. Isn't that right Mrs. Watt?





Above: "Yes, we're twins," Dane and Dwayne Owen say.





Top left: Although twins have the same genes and physical features, their characters are often different - Collin and Chris Oneschuk for instance. Notice how much more unruly Collin's hair is than Chris', and how Collin is a football player? Does that suggest anything?

Above: Would you have guessed that Sandy and Pat Lee are twins? What a difference a haircut can make!

Above: The computer nut twins, Jacky and Jason Luo work in the MacIntosh lab. Is Jason wearing contact lens do you think?



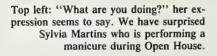
# Busy Bodies

Below: Is Sean Horton, along with his hyperactive personality, being devoured by a locker boogyman? More likely, he was once again seized by a strange impulse this time it had urged him to pop out of a locker.









Above: Welcome to LaZerte! Care for some delicious cookies? Voluntarily cast as a host at Open House, Ozay Ciplak greets two visiters.

Left: Popcorn! Anyone for the best popcorn in the world? Ms. Stewart and Wayne Chow man the kernel popping machine for Students' Council at Open House.





# PCI Partnership



The partnership's prime objectives are to encourage academic excellence, to promote stay-in-school initiatives and to enhance the skill and knowledge of our students. From the onset, participants took the partnership beyond the surface to include students and staff in a variety of educational opportunities.

Student visitations are a common occurrence at PCL's corporate offices and job sites, and PCL staff are highly visible in school programs, parent evenings and community events. There is an equitable exchange of ideas and energies. From scholarships to mentorships, activities include support of a hot lunch program through transporting meals to neighboring schools and designing and constructing a schoolyard park, complete with a permanent community bulletin board. PCL and MEL citizens work together for a common goal to benefit students and society at large. The partners try to offer students practical application of their learning through field trips and job shadowing. Projects are designed to embody real world challenges within the context of curricular mastery. Skills build toward

literacy and goal attainment. It is expected students review their learning through the eyes of other professions and trades-people to ascertain the interconnectedness of all aspects of education and the working world. The combination of short-term and long-term projects are generated to offer a variety of levels of participation depending upon student interest and available time. These efforts benefit both the greater community and students individually.

- by Mr. Cameron

Left: Give me a hug! The PCL mascot, the beaver, hugs an awaiting child at the PCL Christmas party.

Below: Mike Wilson and Paul Weins, two PCL members, undertake the task of hamburger patties at the United Way picnic.





Left: Mrs. Harrison and Elsin Eling from PCL hold the provincial award for Business Partnership from the Conference Board of Canada. With them are Denis Wiens, Mr. Cameron, Lena Bunzenmeyer, and Colleen Tyson.

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### Soothing Therapy

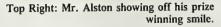
Imagine over half the student body of M.E. LaZerte cramped into a small gymnasium with one man lecturing, trying to convey his message to a multitude of young minds. Impossible, you say?

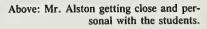
Apparently, LaZerte's guest speaker has performed the impossible. The miracle worker, also known as John Alston, arrived at LaZerte on October 27 to pass on his words of wisdom to the minds of the next generation, namely the grade 10 and 11 students. His powerful presentation has taught us to control our own minds or someone else will control them for us. With his energy and enthusiasm, Mr. Alston effectively combined the soothing therapy of laughter with the serious knowledge involved in life after school to create a formidable performance. The reason this man was able to hold the audience spellbound was mainly due to his innate ability to use ideas that the high school students could relate to best. Drawing upon his experience as a teacher, administrator, and counsellor, John Alston is one of America's foremost motivational speakers. He has co-written a book, Talking With Teens in Turbulent Times, and he continues to make over 200 presentations a year nation-wide to students, parents, and educators. This amazing man's captivating speech held over one thousand teenagers in rapt attention. John Alston's lasting advice was: "The greatest gift you have is your mind" and "Life is a gift - don't trash it!"

Obviously, John Alston is a legend. Special Thanks to Students' Council for bringing John Alston to us!







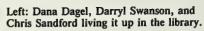




Above: This is a motivational speaker with a great sense of style!







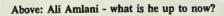
Bottom Left: Mr. Goin looking a bit too excited for class.

Below: (third row) Zarina Kamaldin, Sal Fayad, Amanda Lawrence, Melanie McClelland. (second row) Tamara Langille, Carrie Meyn, Angie Campbell. (first row) Jamely Smilley, Heather Hunter.









Middle: Mowafa Househ - this is the result of studying too hard for math.



# Playing with Snow

Below: The step team stirred things up with their holiday spirit.

The Snowflake Festival was an evening of outstanding mayhem and an expression of every individual ever imaginable. The night started off with the mistresses of ceremony, Amanda Schultz and Stephanie Powell, presenting all the acts with a quirky twist. The collage of actors, singers, dancers, and instrumentalists provided the audience with an exciting evening. Along the way was a variety including the beautiful song stylings of Jenae Rogers, a hilarious twist to "New York, New York" by Sean Horton and Dana Dagel, and "Christmas at Casey House AIDS Hospice" performed by Drama 20. All in all, the evening was psychedelically charged and hey, for the price of two bucks, who could resist?





Above: Sonia Albury, Victoria Leung, and Laurel Sadownik play their hearts out.

Right: Snowflake must have been boring if all these people fell asleep. Actually, this is Dustin Layman performing hypnosis on his victims.

Middle: "I'm all shook up!" Elvis lives!!

Jason Whitham and Jeff Orkusz shake up
the audience with their unique dance.







Above Right: Can we say Mr. Rogers?! The audience cheers with tremendous enthusiasm as the comical Sean Horton appears on stage to perform "New York, New York."



#### Christmas Cheer





Cookies, paints, and balloons - what more could you ask for at a Christmas Party? The PCL-M.E. LaZerte staff Christmas party gave the families of staff a chance to enjoy these things in our beautifully decorated cafeteria and rotunda. Students' Council, who laboriously organized the event, pulled off an excellent party with a multitude of fun-filled activities - for little kids, that is. Entering a winter wonderland, which unbelievably used to be the cafeteria, children had a choice among the stations of balloon animals, coloring wonderful pictures that would have impressed Michealangelo, and decorating sugar cookies. The amount of sugar a kid can consume is amazing! There was also the storytelling station in the beautifully decorated rotunda where everyone listened to and acted out various stories. Our drama class department would have been speechless! After sitting on Santa's lap and singing some traditional Christmas songs, everyone left with the catching Christmas spirit and perhaps a huge quantity of glucose in their blood.





Left: Aren't little kids just cute!?

Top Left: I never knew Christmas stories could be so interesting, did you?

Left: Nummy, nummy in my tummy! Dayna Romanick looks like she's ready for the Christmas season.

Above Left: "So that's how Santa makes reindeer, out of candy canes!"



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#### Intermission





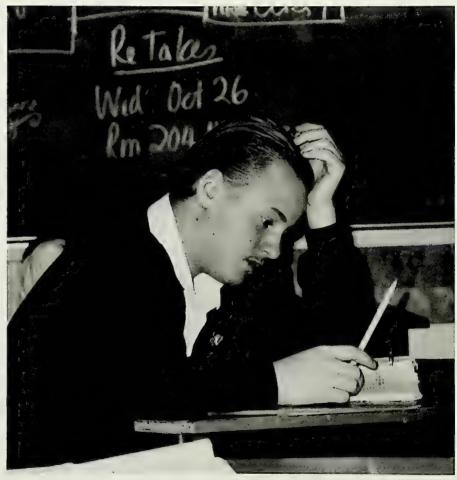


Top Left: Jackie Chung, Shani Wong, and Gloria Suen look very relaxed for being in

Top Right: What does sleep mean? Clayton O'Gradey looks like he didn't get enough sleep last night.

Above: Shlop! The sounds of plungers popping filled the air as the police canoe went down the gym.

Right: Rhys Jones is pensive as he contemplates whether to choose true or false.













Left: Barry Coleman, M.E.L.'s resident David Letterman laughs over the brilliance of his latest top ten list.

Top Left: There's no place like home. Lena Bunzenmeyer tries to re-enact the Dorothy scene she saw on cable last week.

Top Right: After winning a battle with her stubborn lock and rummaging through a billion binders, Deanna Hunt is ready for class.

Left: Sarah Delorenzo shows her pearly whites in appreciation of one of Mr. Gosman's glowing lectures.

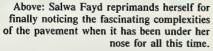
Above: These faces show M.E. LaZerte's enthusiastic students as they await the arrival of the jello kings (the senior football players) who will be catching jello!

# Expressions





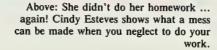




Top Right: As Ryan Harding discovers, ink doesn't taste too good, but, hey, don't forget that it's good for you!

Top Far Right: Sean Horton openly exhibits the side effects of too much work.





Right: "What was that? I missed it."
Philip Pereira seems to be letting everything
pass him by these days.

Far Right: "Where's the rain that the weatherman promised? I want to know if they really taste like gum drops."







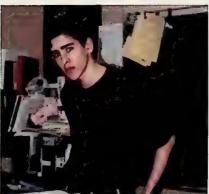


Below: What? Did class end? Barb Veilleux was too entranced by the elevator music to notice.









Top Left: Riley Lagaden, Chris "Dalquist", Chris Young, Kent Swanson, Jeff Orkusz, Trevor Yachimik, Scott Horton, and Harold Semenuk show their comradery by posing together for this picture.

Above: Believe it or not, work can actually be done in the cafeteria. Kloia Vongsamphanh is the prime example.

Left: David Manna, caught snooping through Mr. Bererton's papers, gives the camera a scowl.

### Spirit of the Stage







Top Left: Hey...is that chocolate I see? Actually, Mr. Bererton is smiling at the arm wrestling competition.

Top Right: Is it a modern day in Alice in Wonderland? No, it's M.E.L.'s Jolene Spychka.

Above: Jessica Perin and her friend chat it up during one of the breaks.

Right: Look out Mario Brothers! Jerry Nash, Constable Kristensen, Bonnie Chu, Dave Johnson, and Amy Tam show their skills at the canoe races.















Left: Steve Dhillon walking down the science hallway.

Top Left: Brea Chouinard wins an arm wrestling match during Spirit Week.

Above: Marlin Schimlt, Paul Welke, Biju Thomas, and Dan Ozegovic scheme on how to get grade tens to join Students' Council.

Left: The perfect place and day to flip through a magazine.

Top Right: Crystal Emberley and Cassandra Hodgeson wait patiently for students to join Students' Council during Club's Day.

# Theatre Sports

Fall is definitely the season that reminds us that summer really is over. Days spent basking in the sun are history, and nights spent relaxing underneath the stars are pleasant memories. This season also marks the return to school and unbelievable= stress. The race to succeed? and perform academic acrobatics with marks in class: often sends most students in to a whirlwind of delirium. This is when LaZerte's various sports teams become vital to the well being of young minds. There is an endless variety of fall sports to suit students of all different interests. The hub of our physical education department is always filled with eager and

make time in their busy schedules to help coach teams and individual students.

Scientifically, it has been proven in some obscure magazines that the crashing and banging of metal againstmetal has a therapeutic effect on stress. It is no wonder that football is such a popular sport with the LaZerte student body. Spiking a ball across the net a few times is also great for the release of pent-up fury over bad test marks for those students who love volleyball. Swimming was available for those who are drawn by the competitive edge of racing to the finish, while the calm relaxing sport

enthusiastic teachers who of curling brought many students to the ice rinks. For basketball lovers, it was the challenge of shooting a three pointer which attracted many potential Michael Jordans to the basketball court, and all our weightlifters worked hard to improve their lifts. With all these activities available to help release tension and stress, it is no wonder that LaZerte students are the happiest and brightest students found anywhere!





"The body is only as strong as the mind.'

- anonymous



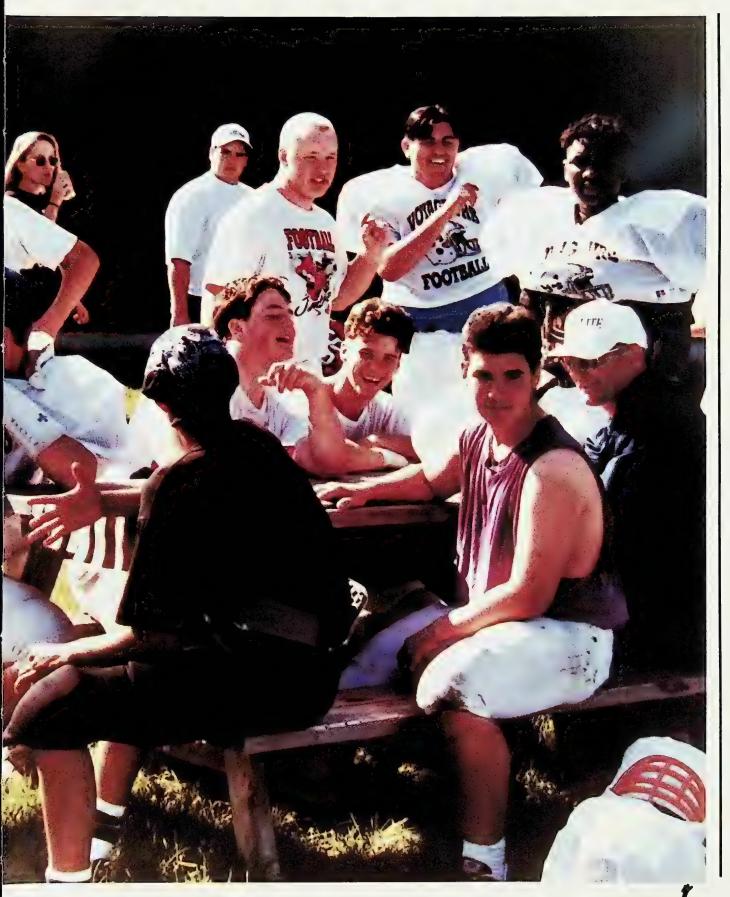
Right: With great precision and hand eye coordination, Carly Morrison prepares to launch her rock down the rink.

Below: Chapman Lee comes up for air as he swims down the pool.





Right: James Mathewson, Donnie Tiemstra, Mike Horta, Kwame Kume, (sitting) Ian Fergusson, Brad Crowfoot, David Hodgess, Travis Jay, and Jim Dyment all relax and take in the afternoon sun after a grueling game at this year's annual football jamboree.



# Players on the Field

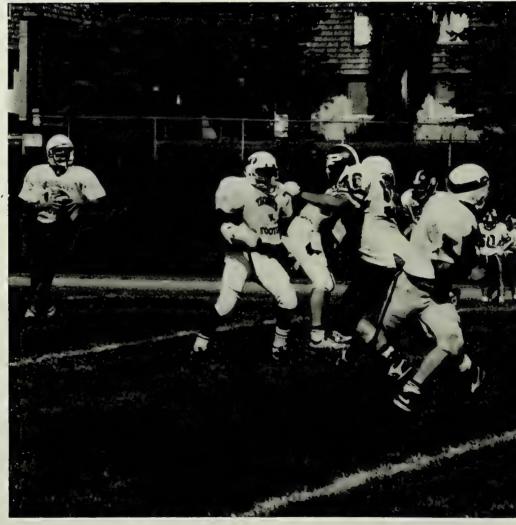
The Senior Football team did not have as rewarding a year as some past teams; however, they still managed to have a strong year. They began a week of fun in Oceanside, California, where they played a tough game against the number one ranked team in the San Diego area. The team continued their successful play when they returned, reeling off four straight wins, with thrilling victories over Harry Ainley and Jasper Place. The team finished the regular season in second place, but unfortunately, lost in the semi-finals to MacNally. Although the team was disappointed with the loss, they could still be proud of the performance they put in during the year. With several key members of the team returning next year, the prospects for the '95 team look excellent.

- By James Mathewson

Top Right: (fifth row) Mr. Sorenson (coach), Terry Cox, David Roy, Minh Trac, Jim Dyment, Trevor Jerome. (fourth row) Kwame Kumi, Jason Koch, David Brooks, Mike Horta, Chris Courchene, Donald Tiemstra, Ceriaco Quiza, Ansar Backus. (third row) Ryan Romaniuk, Jeremy Metro, Kory Udholm, Kevin Bennett, Taylor Orrell, James Mathewson, Mr. Chomchuck (coach). (second row) Grant Klemmer, Chad Ellis, Ian Fergusson, Tyler Dettling, Cory Martin, Rick Engels, Mr. Guy, Mr. Kates (coach). (first row) Wilson Quan, Shawn Smith, Cory Checknita, Cody Gretzan, Ryan Kane, Brad Crowfoot, Mark Wing, Travis Jay.

Right: Kory Udholm scans the field with eagle eyes while Ken Headly blocks the on coming traffic.







#### Stadium Performers



Early September found over sixty enthusiastic grade ten and eleven boys competing for twenty-four different positions on our junior football team. Faced with daily practices, thirty-five endured this hectic pace and commitment. For most, the relatively new activity was a very worthwhile and exciting experience in their lives. A 3-4 league record placed our team as a top contender in the city division play-off championships, finishing the season by dropping a close encounter in the finals 13-12. The coaching staff would like to recognize Jason Smith, Grant Feddes, and Bryon Bourne, former

M.E. LaZerte students, who agreed to work along with us and help bring about a successful football season.

- By Mr. Rosiewich

Far Left: Milo Eggebrecht bulldozes his way through the competition leaving his teammate, Harold Semenuk, behind in the devastation.

Below: Race ya to the end of the field! Loser has to smell Mr. Rosiewich's socks.





Left: (fourth row) Mr. J. Smith (coach), Brett Prosser, Joe Dennique, Leonard Dickens, Ryan Harding, Chris Griedanus, Mike Mc-Kay, Grant Mombourquette, Mike Hills. (third row) Mr. P. Smith (coach), Lonnie Smith, Jared Keller, Steve Loomer, Mark Vandinbrink, Sean Kaus, Jeff Reinhardt, Collin Oneschuk, Sean Mc-Lellan. (second row) Mr. Elniski (coach), Dan Shillabeer, Milo Eggebrecht, Steve Marques, Chris Andrews, Clint Harper, Pete Harder, Howard Semenuk, Chris Oneschuk, Mr. Rosiewich (coach). (first row) Wayne Cheng, Jackie Wong, Neil Cochrane, Sean Canuel, Alois Urlep, Don Fobes, Chris Wing, Darren Cymbala, Wallid Nsair.



### Curling

For all curlers attending M.E. LaZerte, this year was vastly different from any other year. Many teams used to use the M.E. LaZerte's curling squads as a stepping "stone" for themselves. Not anymore! Curlers at M.E. have gained quite a bit of respect over a very short time, from opposing teams. This season, both the junior and senior teams hovered around the top spot in their respective divisions. With the guidance of Mr. Pacholik and Mr. Renfree, our teams can easily compete at higher levels of play. Our juniors used training tips and proper maneuvering skills from their beloved coaches, while the senior team used more advanced and complicated shots. Curling is much more than the game people might watch on television. Players must know key terms like "freeze" (which might explain the conditions curlers play in - boy, is it cold!), "raise", "out-turn", and "draw". Curlers must know when to sweep, when not to sweep, how to shoot the right weight, and correctly aim and place the rock. Curling is much more than just a sport...it is a mindgame. Usually, in this game, brain wins over brawn, finesse is key, precision must be 100%, and accuracy must be exact to play successfully.







Above: Now, all those who haven't seen a "sheet" of curling ice, here's the real thing. Of course, Steve Paholek, Scott Pereira, Carly Morrison, and Amarjit Panesar see it all the time.

Middle Right: Is that the world champion?? No, but it's still a beauty of a shot by Jarrad Norcutt!

Top Right: No, there is no pressure on John Hodgkinson given by Angela Reiner and Jarrad Norcutt. It's only the championship winning shot! Like we said, no pressure at all.

Right: Steve Paholek decides that if he can't move the opposing rocks, we're in big trouble!





# Pushing the Timits

The Weightlifting Club has had a very active year. At the end of the 1994-95 school term, the club will have hosted seven provincial competitions including both the Alberta Junior and Senior Championships. Fourteen club members competed in the Alberta Junior Championships out of thirty total athletes competing. The club has also hosted two athletic training camps and one coaches' clinic presented by the Alberta Weightlifting Association.

At the Canadian Winter Games in Grande Prairie in February and

March, each province or territory may bring ten boys and five girls as a complete weightlifting team. Four of the girls and seven of the boys on the Alberta team train at M.E. LaZerte. The M.E. LaZerte are one of the

The M.E.L. facilities are one of the best facilities in Canada for hosting competitions, clinics, and training camps, and we are proud of our partnership with the AWLA.

Club members are currently trying to raise funds for a possible trip to California in October.

- By Mr. Fergusson







Middle Left: There are weights attached. Jarred Norcutt is absolutely sure of it.

Above: Alois Urlep prepares himself before the big lift.

Above: (back row) Tyler Dettling, Gonzalo Vasquez, Mr. Fergusson (coach), John Hodgkinson, Ben Match. (front row) Kylie Fergusson, Daniel Danis, Jarrad Norcutt, Virakorn Khamsaysouk, Adam Johnston.

Top Left: Daniel Danis shows off his wonderful strength during practise.

# Seniors "Set" for Gold

Another chapter of girls' volleyball has been marked with sportsmanship and enthusiasm. The junior girls finished their season with five wins, one loss. They placed fourth in the Round Robin, first in the Devon tournament, making it to the quarter final game with an unexpected loss, and finished in fourth place overall. The senior girls got off to a slow start, but after a terrific

game in the Red Deer tournament, they had a huge winning streak, losing only once to Memorial in the Round Robin playoffs, and placing second for the semifinals against Jasper Place. After defeating JP by three matches to one, the team advanced to win the gold in a tense city conference final against Memorial.







Top Right: Senior girls: (second row) Kelly Olstad, Jackie Schur, Kelly Krenz, Dion Kelly, Sherri Koshman, Ms. Shelton. (first row) Lana Buerger, Crystal Lam, Robin Patry, Tanya Chan, Christine Lygo, Michelle Sheehy, Deana Patry.

Right: Junior girls: (back row)
Dayna Romanick, Crystal Emberley, Jessica Perin, Phalene Featherstone, Crystal Velichka, Kim
Shave, Daniell Salahub, Mrs. McIlwraith. (front row) Deanna Harmon, Cheryl Richards, Amanda
Engman, Lesa Marshall, Jasebel
Chan, Cindy Tran.

Above: Kelly Olstad, Deanna Patry, Jackie Schur, and Robin Patry hone their skills at a practice before a game.

Above Right: "I object to that call!" Crystal Emberley, Cheryl Richards, Dayna Romanick, and Jessica Perin review the game.





# Serve, Spike, Volley



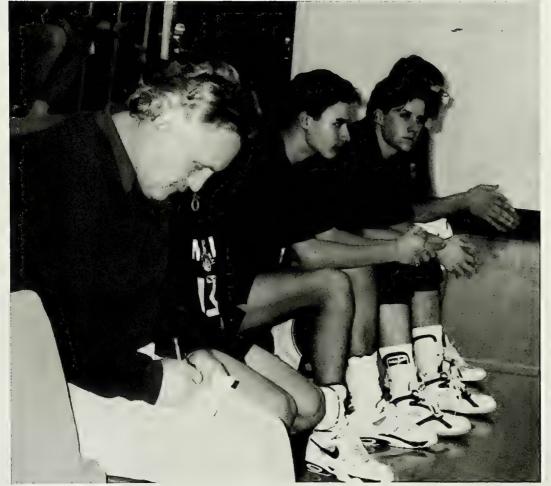


Up go the high-flying spikers of M.E.L. and it seems like they never come back down. Although not taking home any gold this year, both the Sr. and Jr. boys showed sportsmanship and school spirit. From the sensational spiking action of Danny Fatal to the spectacular saves by junior Mark Napora, the '94 Voyageur Volleyball'ers were a treat to watch.

Top left: Jr. Boys: (second row) Crystal Lam, Mr. Wong, Wayne Chow, Mark Napora, Theo Parks, Dan Frankie, Gareth Ellis, Ming Yeung, Mr. Kinoshita, Tanya Chan. (first row) Bobby Wong, Kolin Bougsamphank, Jay Lever, Mark Rodych, Andrew Sung, Nick Wong.



Yassine, Lars Hirschfeld, Wes Vallevand, Danny Fatal, Minh Pham, Stefan Bissani, Greg duManoir, Nguyen Pham, Darren Lashchowski.



Above: Darren Dymichkowdky, Wes Vallevand and Stefan Bissani take a breather on the bench while Mr. Meek takes notes on the game.

Top right: Bobby Wong, Mark Napora, and Jay Lever watch their opponents' weaknesses from the sidelines.

Above right: Lars Hirschfield sets up his serve, ready to blast away the opposing team.

# "We are the Champions!"

The M.E.L. swim team received rave reviews as they captured first place in the small squad division at the city finals. Among those shining in the spotlight was Cassandra Hodgson, who received a gold medal standing in her 100 metre Freestyle-Novice event.

The swim team had an outstanding season from beginning to end. The hard work and discipline of all

Below: The dedicated coaches: Mr. Cameron, Cathy Dytiuk, Mr. Wright, Mr. Garreck, and Janis Billau. the swimmers was greatly rewarded by their first place standing, as well as the fact that they beat the next closest team by 600 points! None of this could have been accomplished without the help of volunteer timers and without the guidance and coaching of Mr. Wright, Mr. Cameron, Mr. Garreck, Cathy Dytiuk, and Janis Billau.

Bottom right: It's the mighty spiderman Fred Kennedy showing off his awesome body. Stand back ladies, he's on his way!







Top right: (third row) Dan Elheart, Mike Reiner, Kareena Schnabel, Sherri Dixon, Colleen Danforth, David Brooks, Naveed Alam. (second row) Fred Kennedy, Mike Brown, Tegan Gordichuk, Cindy Esteves, Cassandra Hodgson, Jennifer Ash (Captain), Angela Reiner (Captain), Steve Chiakowsky, Ali Taliani (Captain), Shannon Leung, Clara Chu, Chapman Lee. (first row) Pam Bowen, Paula Bennett, Cara Bloomfield, Sherri Baker, Heather Harris, Jerae Rogers, Sherri Koshman, Vicki Leung, Missing: Majin Taliani.





Middle right: Those dedicated volunteers: Crystal Emberley, Stefan Bissani, Tom Penton, Alex Ho, Simon Lau, Dayna Serediak, Shauna Stefiak, Lena Bunjenmeyer, Shawna Atcheson, Patty Eseobar, Dayna Romanick, Nicole Bouman, Dave Barrett, Corina Pargatz, Steve Loomer, Gerred Cloutier, Shawna Detta, Shelby Goitz, Jason Koch, Brad Laurie, Gordon Lu, Simon Lu, Paddy Lu, Mike Tokunaga, Tim Homenuck, Travor Jerome, and Tim Vanduhock.





Swim Team Sponsor: Sky Guyz Recreation

# Mogul-Munching



Another mogul-munching, powder bashing season of ski fun with the M.E. LaZerte Ski Club is over. Our year consisted of weekly Wednesday night trips to Rabbit Hill and three moutain trips. Rabbit Hill trips were curtailed shortly after Christmas due to uncooperative weather; however, we made up for it with three fabulous mountain trips: Sunshine, Marmot Basin, and Lake Louise.

Our December trip to Sunshine was certainly an adventure complete with a two hour "lay-over" in a ditch near Red Deer when our trusty bus broke down. Thank you Constable Kristiansen for jogging back to Red Deer on the highway at six a.m. to get help! The same trip allows us to name Mrs. Tewitz "Queen of Forgetfulness" for leaving four flats of pop in the trunk

of her car at -30 degrees celcius. The club "ski hero" award goes to Mr. Dunwoody for his incredible ease and grace on the slopes. A special thanks, too, to the cliff jumping gang for not breaking their necks!

Marmot Basin in February provided wonderful snow, clear skies, and no crowds (maybe because it was the coldest day of the year, but we loved it!). Kyle Wolfe and Curtis Semeniuk should have been thrown off the bus with their video commentary that almost drove Miss Fowke crazy, depriving her of her beauty sleep.

All in all, it was a great season, and we're looking forward to an action packed, powder trenched season next year. Ski ya then!

- by Miss Fowke



Above: (third row) Jason Bilyk, Darren Dozois, Curtis Semeniuk, Gareth Ellis, Martin Thibodeau, Colin Goss, Mark Charney, Jason Brosch, Tyler Arychuk, Wes Boschman, Graham Erickson. (second row) Ryan Skolski, Alan Holinski, Curtis Roy, Shane Courtrille, Mark Napora, Alicia Holinski, Donovan Cemmell, Koree Fray, Roberto Conuecar. (first row) Heather Harris, Angela Reiner, Cindy Esteves, Daniell Salahub, Dayna Serediak, Christine Woelinga, Shauna Stefiuk. Missing: Jackie Chung, Corina Dargatz, Natasha Goodfellow, Lars Hirschfeld, Colette Homik, Curis Irion, Jennifer Kabanuk, Jason Koch, Marcie Nytchay, Carey Paholek, Kim Rennie, Scott Ruppell, Christie Schoepp, Jeff Tyson, Kyle Wolfe, Trevor Bomersback, Corey Carlson, Trevor Haisma, Kelly Kenny, Kelly Lowe, Chris Murphy, Chris Reed, Kent Swanson, Kyle Winsor Derek Zack, David Doch, David Murphy, Brian Tews.



Top left: Wake us up when we get there. Heather Harris and Cindy Esteves are just too tired to face the world after a day of skiing.

Above: Shane Courtrille, Gareth Ellis, and Tyler Arychuk are among the few who are awake for this long bus ride.



# Act 1

With every new theatrical season, there comes new actors ready to make their spectacular debut on center stage. The M.E.L. stage was ready when the rooky grade 10's arrived. There was much to learn and much to expect out of the coming year. First, there was the timeless problem of making sure you entered the right place for rehersal. Next came the unnerving obstacle of meeting your fellow actors and ensuring that you did not become too overwhelmed by the vastness of everything around you. Another problem that must be confronted was attempting to hold your own in a group of actors who were a

little more seasoned. Then came that time of the year which initiated everyone into the prestigious elite when all actors transform themselves into giant ants, scurrying around with heavy props - desks - through the maze of halls at LaZerte. Those who survived that week of exams soon realized that they had overcome one of the most challenging obstacles of the season. The shakiness of the first few performances are progressing. All the new actors begin to feel more at ease with the role they have been given to play and some even add new quirks to their maturing characters. They no longer feel as alienated as they did

before, and those seasoned actors become a little less experienced in their eyes. By the closing of the first season. the debut actors are playing different roles in the plays. They look forward to returning to more challenging roles with a greater number of lines and take comfort in the fact that many of the faces they know from their first season will return for the next. These actors have passed their first obstacle and the knowledge they have accumulated will assist them when they are faced with further hurdles in the seasons to come.



"Life in grade 10 is 'a big difference' from junior high. You 'started at the top and then went to the bottom"". - Emil Tiedemann



Below: Smile for the birdie! Michael Deonarine looks demurely at the camera, hoping the picture won't turn out too badly.





Above: All work and no play has made Susan Ross a very camerashy person.

Right: Friends till the end!
Shaymaa Rahme, Amina
Sleiman, and Feda Chaaban take
a break to emphasize the close
bonds of friendship.







### Where do politicians get their education?

Watching Mr. Dressup and his tickle trunk.
- Anonymous

Education! What education?
- Wilson Kwan

The Liars' Club.

- Sajid Khan

Tricia Aksenchuk Hala Aldayeh Hoda Al-Khatib Kareem Amairi Summer Ammar Tammy Anders Wes Anders Amber Anderson

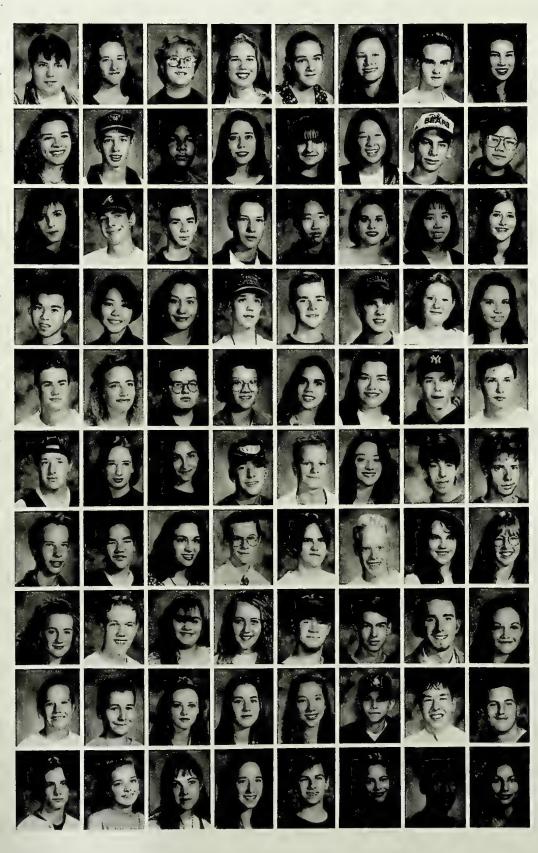
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> Greg Binges Colleen Birtch Joseph Bishop Brad Boechler Clayton Bond Jennifer Bonner Rebecca Bonner Lisa Borecki

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Jaime Carson Chris Carter Wesley Carter Feda Chaaban Hajar Chamseddine Jasebel Chan Jordan Chanakos Lawrence Chang

Belinda Chapeskie Michael Charbonnean Carlos Charcentier Shaun Charney Wayne Cheng Jordanna Chipiuk Tabitha Chiu Kimberley Choma

Alan Chong Clara Chiu Jackie Chung Scottie Clark Gerred Cloutier Niel Cochrane Mary Coghlan Angie Collins

James Converse Liz Conway Michael Cooper Eboni Cossey Sonia Costa Annette Courtorielle Jeremy Cowles Dwight Cramer

Chris Cure Jessica Cure Nada Darwicke Cory Davis Tyler Dean Elisa Defazio Glen Demaere Joe Dennique

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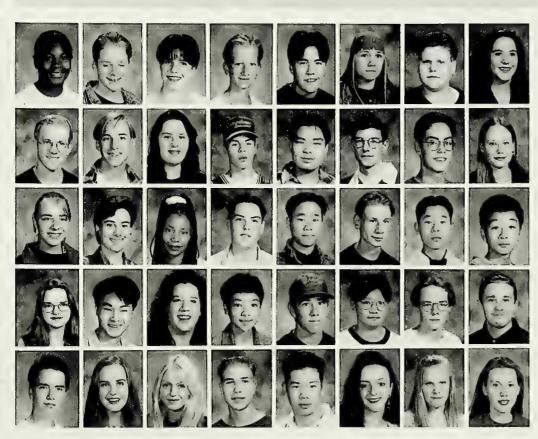
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Joseph Fortier Tabitha Fox Kathryn Francey Shannon Friel Neil Friesen Michelle Gagnon Larry Gajadhar Larissa Garcia

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Tamara Langille Karen Lashchowski Amanda Lawrence Jason Leblanc Paddy Lee Lorne Lee Sandy Lee Vincent Lee

Cheryl Lesyk H. Leung Lisa Levasseur Kevin Li Jay Liber Alberto Lim Dorian Lindberg James Lippa

Stephen Loomer Angela Lopatko Kelly Lowe Russel Lucyshyn Kevin Ma Christina Machato Trisha Mack Tara MacNeil

### Who makes up the ridiculous new words that are continuously making unannounced appearances in our already complicated dictionary?

It's SETS, Secret English Teachers Society who get together once a year to find new ways of torturing helpless English students.

- Lina Bissani

I don't know, but I got marked wrong for using them on my last essay.

- Scott Pereira

It's that stupid Webster. After he finishes writing one dictionary, he starts writing a bigger one.

- Sajid Khan



### What would happen if television was suddenly gone?

**WWIII** 

- Anonymous

A rise in population.

- Anonymous

NBC's television ratings would probably drop while CBC's might actually go up.

- Anonymous

All the homeless would have no cardboard boxes to live in, Bill Matheson would save a lot of money on hair dye, and TV dinners would be obsolete.

- Horton



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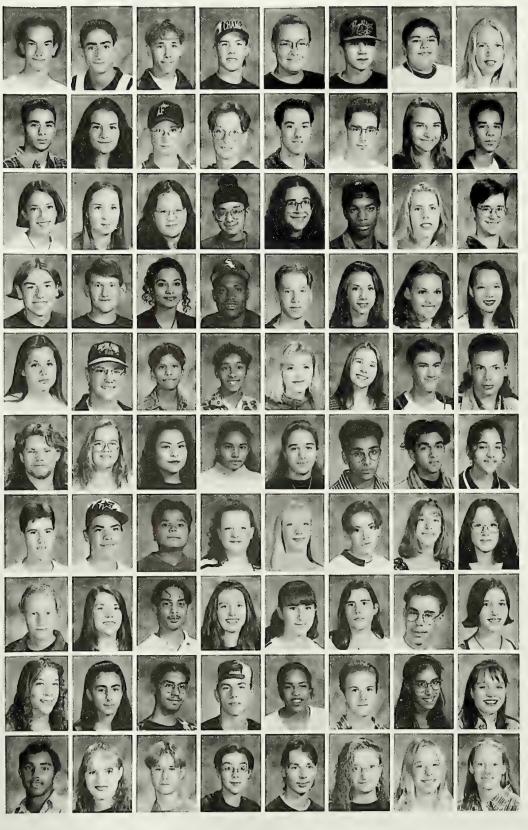
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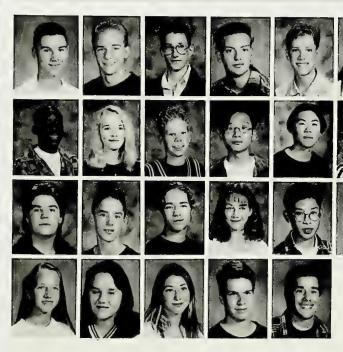
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Michael Deonarine
Chris Dolynchuk
Michelle Doucett
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Milo Eggebrecht
Stasha Elniski
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Ryan Goodyear
Michael Grovet
Katheryn Halladay
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Bryan Hasay
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Kammi Helle
Johnson Heng
Joe Hiesinger
Benjamin Hochachka
Khaled Hocheimi
Connie Holland
Colette Homik
Brett Hoy
Norman Ireland
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Mike Iranusic
Jorden Joseph
Alphonse Kaskamin
Michael Keller
Ian Kempster
Sean Kennedy
James King
Tami Kohlen
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Kwame Kumi
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Dwayne Owen
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Johnathan Politylo
Benji Presizniuk
John Pierce
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Suha Saleh
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Jason Schnel
Tara Schmutz
Kevin Sentara
Alan Senum
Jeffery Severight
Joshua Sides
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Cody Stephen
Mazin Taliani
Lawrence Tanfara
Tommy Tasker
Justin Taylor
Nicki Titterington

Rence Tsang Kevin Vuong Adeanna Walters Janice Wilson Jesse Wong Wesley Woodbury

# Stage Managers

The faculty is a key element in our school. It is to the school what the directors and stage crew are to theatre. They are our choreographers, our speech therapists, and our mentors who offer advice and approval for the things we do. Teachers are there to help us with any problems we may encounter in the future.

Students have often wondered what leads people to become teachers. There are as many answers to that question as there are teachers. Mr. Bererton "found working with young people enjoyable and fulfilling". Ms. Edwards entered the profession because "all my friends were teachers"

and Mr. Myck had this to say about teaching: "You can take little minds and manipulate them. I mean, inspirate them."

When teachers were asked what it is like to teach, they responded by saying that it is "rewarding and tiring" and "always something unexpected." Every class is different.

Stress is another part of teaching and they must live and deal with it. Some teachers alleviate stress by "working with students". Others feel they are "too young and good looking" to be under so much stress.

When we look at the faculty as a whole, we think of the teachers who make up our school. The word "faculty" can also mean the ability or power to act, cleverness, or mental aptitude. Mr. Myck, on the other hand "thought it was a place you go to the bathroom. Oh no! That's a facility!" Mr. Bererton defines faculty as something "you lose when you continue to teach with economic cutbacks". He also feels that it is important to keep them or they will lock you up.

Our school's staff is truly exceptional. They continue on after we have left which shows their great dedication.



"Teaching is one of life's little pleasures."

- Mr. Myck



Below: Mr. Elniski struts out as he exits our fantastic school.



Above: Judging by her gleeful expression, Ms. Saley shows just how much fun arm wrestling can



Right: Look! It's a bird! It's a plane! It's...Superman!





# Principal's Message





Top Left: The Big Chief, Mrs. Harrison in action. A principal's work is never done.

Above: Mr. Gosman and Mr. Cameron attempt to get a closer look to find out if that really is Mrs. Harrison behind the sunglasses and out of uniform.



Probably no other single event in the school year causes as much excitement and anticipation on the part of students as the annual arrival of the school yearbook. More than any other publication, it is a documentary of the entire school year. Every student is a part of it, and it is destined to become a historical document. For years to come, the yearbook will rekindle fond memories of times past and will serve as a reminder of the best years of your lives.

The theme, "All the World's a Stage", is a fitting one. Through Jaques' character in the passage from As You Like It, Shakespeare describes seven stages in our lives. Like Jaques, students at M.E. LaZerte have wonderful opportunities to experiment with a variety of roles, and through trial and error, come to know themselves in relation to the world. Many photographs in this yearbook will serve as reminders of your "...exits and...entrances" upon the "stages" at M.E. LaZert. Years hence as you will page through your

Portage, I'm sure you will recall the sorrows, the joys and the comic encounters of life with players at LaZerte. It is important to remember that a yearbook has no mysterious genesis. It is the product of endless hours of thought and labour undertaken by dedicated students and staff. To Mrs. Watt and the yearbook staff, our congratulations for an outstanding edition of the yearbook. We know that all the "players" at M.E. LaZerte appreciate the wonderful way in which you captured so many scenes, acts, and plays! For many students the 1994 Portage will be your last M.E. LaZerte yearbook. To you, we wish success and happiness in all future endeavours. To our players who will be returning to M.E. LaZerte in September, have a great summer. We look forward to creating new scenes with you in the fall.

# Office Personnel



Left: Ms. Ros Smith, Mr. Bill Gowans, Mrs. Liz Harrison, and Mr. Bill Renner.

Below: Ms. Smith laughs gently at LaZerte's first Pep Rally while Ms. Kokoski fiddles with her keys.



### Administration





Left: Val Defrato, Janet Wedman, Sharon Ashmore, Shirley Morgan, and Wendy Turnbull

Above: The phone? It never leaves Janet Wedman's (a.k.a. The Keeper of the Phone) hands.

# Student Services



Above: Mrs. Pirnak enjoys a hearty laugh during one of the activities in the rotunda.

Right: Colleen Cooper, Rick Gafiuk, and Joyce Pirnak.



# Counselling



Above: Dr. Danyluk watches one of the yearbook staff members closely as she tries out the new camera after a quick lesson on how to use it by Dr. Danyluk.

Right: (second row) Shirley Denkhaus, Ross Meek, John Renfree, Joe Danyluk, Margaret Sereda. (first row) Rick Gafuik, Elizabeth Harrison, Bill Renner.





# Custodians





Left: (second row) Felino de la Cruz, Jesus Camat, Jhess Castillo, Bill Mecham. (first row) Gerome Licacho, Thomas Mayes, Victor Cooper, Agnes Etherington, Alex Redoble, Bien Nguyen, Raizie Bissoon.

# Physical Education





Above: Mrs. Shelton and Mrs. Jap take a breath of fresh autumn air after spending the day in the sweaty, stuffy gyms.

Left: Peter Smith, Janice Sutherland, Don Guy, Marion McIlwraith, Dave Kates, Shannon Jap, Bo Jereniuk, Brenda Shelton, Thom Elniski.

# Career and Technology Studies



Above: Ms. Walker listening attentively to Mr. Cimolini's instructions.

Right: (fourth row) Thom Elniski, John Renfree, Ed Fergusson, Rick Gafuik, Julian Pacholik. (third row) Ken Wright, Helen Surmon, Rob Cameron, Elaine Manchakowsky, Joe Garrick. (second row) Linda Christianson, Ernestine Walker, Dawn Gibbs, Sherrill Harrison, Shirley Larsen, Lorna Eccleston. (first row) Charles Park, Len Hallowes, Al Jones, Ray Cimolini.



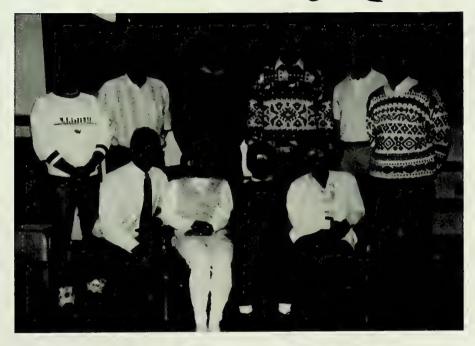
# Cafeteria



Above: Mr. Donahue carefully crafting the soup of the day for lunch.

Right: Dennis Donahue, Mara Lubovac, Pat Roth, Len Hallowes, Tara Omaushko.



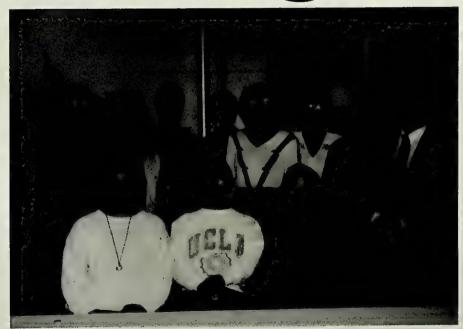




Above: Mr. Kinoshita and Ms. Saley attempt to solve Janet Dymichkowsky's problem during registration.

Left: (back row) Darrell Sumyk, Don Holt, Dmetro Rosiewich, Hans Specht, David Kates, Darryl Sutherland. (front row) Wes Myck, Sheryl Kokoski, Mas Kinoshita, Jack Edwards.

# Science





Above: Mr. Stobbe announces the next award winning student.

Left: (back row) Arnie Collins, Kevin Huculak, Brian Neill, Deb Nordheimer, Jen Smith, Tom Dunwoody, Jim Bererton. (front row) Kim Malayko, Gerald Stobbe, Elena Rocco.

# Modern Janguages



Above: Madame Russo reaches impatiently for the pinata: "Gimme! Gimme! Gimme!"

Right: Paula Russo, Christine Fowke, Linda Hui.



### Fine Arts

Right: David Nattress, Dean McKenzie, Al Jones.



# Tibrary & Resource

Right: Lorraine Kartz, Cheryl Harper, Mary Meilicke.



# Social Studies





Above: Mr. Gosman stuggles through the words of "Romeo and Juliet."

Left: (third row) Dolores Tewitz, Teresa Saley, Michael Sororchon, Richard Gosman. (second row) Ross Meek, Fran Stewart, Peter Smith, Gordon Mercy, Len Kravinchuk. (first row) Don Mock.

# English





Above: Mrs. Denkhaus thinks twice about her day job as a teacher and counsellor.

Left: (second row) Sandra Erickson, Jeff Goin, Shannon Jap, Shirley Denkhaus, Wannita Gemmel. (first row) Jean Watt, Michael Woodard, Sharon Neuman, Rena Hughes, David Auton, Shirley Harris.

# Work in Progress

Academics is an important part of M.E. LaZerte which not only includes the core subjects, but also such courses as performing arts and modern languages. The annual trips to Europe are quite an opportunity for young adults who may never have the chance to travel there later. Many of these options will open doors in the future, along with experiences and knowledge. The academic awards are given each year at M.E. for those students who have performed well in their courses. These awards range from honors for those with an average of eighty percent or more in the top twenty-five credits, to athletic awards

for outstanding athletes. The achievements in academics that so many strive for bring them what some may never have, like knowledge of band music and French linguistics. The countless productions of the performing arts and drama groups exhibit the exquisite styles of performances and talents that are truly M.E.'s own. Starting from the very first performance, the two groups are destined to bring tears of laughter to the audience, drawing on the audience's emotions and experiences to create memorable productions. The sweet sounds of melody and the evident talent of the students at M.E.'s musical soirees are also a source of pride to all

of us. Anyone can join many of these academic activities, so no sympathy should be felt for those who later realize what they could have brought them.

Academics may give you more opportunities to secure your ambitions. The vast selection of activities allows your needs and wants to be satisfied. If you're into music, join the band; if you're into acting, take drama. Nobody needs to walk away unsatisfied with M.E.'s wide variety of organizations in academics.



"The most absurd and reckless aspirations have sometimes led to extraordinary success."

- by Vouvenargues



Below: Jolene Spychka and Mr. Nattress strike up a humorous and lively conversation during their performance at the dinner theatre.





Above: Mmm...smells very good!
Conrad Derranger sneaks a taste
of the delicious cooking of Ming
Yeung at the night of Open
House.

Right: Tonya D'Entremont, Alex Castro, Cameron Demkiw, Gazali Sheiman, and Zahara Noormahomed visit the elementary school, Delwood, with Mme. Russo.





# Bamfield Trip

From falls down hills, in mud, down ramps, and off buses, to flat tires and crazy drivers, it all started in Port Alberni. The first morning was eventful for three students whose encounter with National Geographic made them late for the Ferry. Tweak, tweak! Then it was to Bamfield, the place with the very steep hills, Cardiac Hill was a killer, but Tara made a name for the first hill we'd encountered, Triple-Bypass Hill! Classes were taught and trips on the ocean taken, some of us had one more trip than others! Many of us had more classes than Mr. Auton! Bamfield was the most fun, hanging heads overboard, late nights listening to strange outbursts, mud wrestling with our peers, charades, ghosts, and a favorite, the chili. We worked on crafts, dredged the ocean, looked at plankton, hiked beaches, climbed rocks, collected shells and got water in

our boots. The gear was nifty, yellow rainsuits that we were proud to wear. We then left for a relaxing night in Victoria, after a long, dusty bus ride. It was great, even if all the stores were closed! The best memory for us must be our theme song, "Sittin" on My La La". All in all the Bamfield trip was a lot of fun.







Top: Ms. Smith, Mr. Auton, Tara Pretula, Candice Bandura, Katrina Bone, Stefania Semeniuk, Amber Slade, Kelli Billenue, Albert Ngui, Jen Raaen, Daryl Swanson, Jon Lee, Erin Unterschute, Cindy Esteves, Nicole Mork, Carolyn Leung, and Tricia Aksenchuk.

Far Right: Kelli, Tara, Stef, Amber, Jon and Mr. Auton stand against a very old tree on one of our many stops, Cathedral Grove.

Right: An excited explorer handles one of the many creatures caught on our dredge, the rat fish.

Bottom: Eleven crew members clamber over the rocks in a trainlike fashion on one of many hikes at Bamfield.





This year's lyp sync competition, held in the lecture theatre, was a great success. Over eight entries competed against each other. Groups and band skipped their lunches to win the prize, thirty dollars, raised by Student Council. Third place was received by Wayne Chow (who

fooled even the clever eyes of the judges), who portrayed Mariah Carey. Second place went to the Cutie 5, led by Carey Paholek, and first prize went to Chris Labrenz and his unga-bunga troop, who then ran off into the jungle!

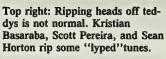




Top left: Wayne Chow or Mariah Carey? You decide! (Remember, Wayne is a guy's name!)

Bottom left: While the teachers of Student Council demand RE-SPECT, Biju Thomas would rather demand being taken off stage.





Middle right: Carey Paholek and company performed in the show with style. Did they really sing? Are those real?

Bottom right: Amarjit Panesar. Iron man of D.J.'s. Need we say more?



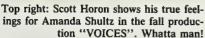
# Off Broadway

The road to a successful acting, broadway or even movie career must start in Drama. In Drama, you must learn key words such as blocking, gels and the famous "up-stage, downstage". Acting has so many components and they must be studied before one can move on. Theatre knowledge, famous actors, and the knowledge of different acting exercises help memorization, and a belief in what you're doing, even if it is being read from a script. But as the actors in the fall production found out, scripts are obsolete. "VOICES" was made from

scratch, with the actors as its director. The Snowflake Festival contained mainly the works of the Drama 10's and 20's, directed by Mr. Natress, our illustrious acting sensei. Intrigue followed with two casts of the annual Murder Mystery Dinner theatre. People were accused, people died, but we all laughed in the end. After all, isn't that our intention?







Above: Where's my magnifying glass? Are those things real? Alois Urlep ponders the enormity of his assistant, Amanda Schultz's... attraction to him.

Center: Cast: (right to left) Dan Seniud, Chris Labrenz, Paula Bennett, Scott Horton, Sherri Baker, Scott Pereira, Sephanie Rowell, Amanda Shultz.

Far right: A distressed Jolene Spychka is speechless towards the verbal jumour given by Sean Horton in the Mystery Dinner Theatre.





Above: Chris Labrenz aids a fallen Paula Bennett rearing the end of the fall production of VOICES. Unfortunately, Paula would never fall for Chris in real life... or would she...







# The Players

Some of us may think that the three "pre-requisites" of Performing Arts are: singing, dancing, and acting. After some thought and consideration, think of the concentration needed to combine these three basic qualities. Acting involves memorization, stage knowledge, and eye contact. Dancing includes body movement, choreographic ability and "always looking one step ahead". Singing needs vocal enhancement, and a combination of choral precision. To become a part of the performing arts class, these basics must be

known and understood. After this, the stage is yours. Our performing arts class "performed" many times this year. Their first performance was at our annual Snowflake Festival where they sang "Choo-choo-chiboogie" and parodied a scene at "Sally's T-shirts", a classic. Their next production was "KAOS T.V." and Showcase '95. There are a collection of short plays directed by the elder students in Performing Arts. All this in a class! Makes you want to get up and dance, eh?



Top right: Christine Schoepp congratulates Steve Williams on his purchase of his new plaid bell-bottom pants.

Above: The Performing Arts class boogie to the tune of "Choo-choo-chi-boogie".



Above: Christine Gibbs doesn't realize who she's dealing with: the famous owner of "Sally's T-shirts", Steve Williams.



# Big Band

Do you like to swing with the big bands or rock with classic rock greats? Well, the M.E. LaZerte Jazz Band does. These students put in countless hours of after school rehearsals in order to perfect their great jazzy sounds. The Jazz Band competed in the Sherwood Park Festival in which they obtained a bronze medal ranking. The Jazz Band consists of a keyboard bass, piano, drums, two tenor saxes, two alto saxes, a trombone, one trumpet and a baritone. These instruments make up the great sounds that are so memorable that you can't help singing them over and over again.

Top: (second row) Mr. Jones, Corey Carlson, Laurel Sadownik, Daryl Gerigk, Neil Cochrane. (first row) Sonia Albury, Lena Bunzenmeyer, Rebekah De Sousa, and Koree Fray.

Top left: It's the dueling saxophones! Sonia Albury and Laurel Sadwnik work to make the sax line sound great.

Right: Lena Bunzenmeyer is the bass keyboard queen in our jazz band and is one of the key components in the rhythm section.

Far right: One single, solitary trumpet. Oh well! Neil Cochrane does a great job of covering up the holes.

Bottom: Will we see these two ten years from now playing at the Yardbird!? Corey Carlson and Neil Cochrane pull off the jazz look without a hitch.













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### (Trand ()rchestra

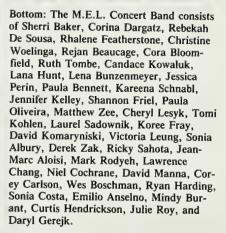


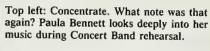
Balance. Tuning. Timing. Gingerings. Dynamics. These are all concerns for the M.E. LaZerte Concert Band members but all the hard work they put in helps them make beautiful music that everyone can enjoy. The Concert Band performed at a number of engagements this year including Awards Night and the Graduation Commencement. They also went to

compete in the Sherwood Park Festival in the latter part of March in which they received a silver metal. The band also participated in an exchange trip with a school from Victoria, B.C.. All in all, it was a jam packed year for the M.E.L. Concert Band, and they seemed to have pulled through with flying colours.









Top middle: Only a few more notes! Ryan Harding looks like he's going to burst as he plays his baritone.

Above: The dedicated brass and saxophone players, Neil Cochrane, Jean-Marc Aloisi, Ricky Sahota, and Sonia Albury, play their hearts out to make the band sound better.



# Music Abroad

On May 2, our dedicated Concert Band and Swing Choir partook in an adventurous journey to Victoria, B.C. The trip this year was an experiment as these members were part of a band exchange with Victoria High. The purpose? To learn more about life in Victoria, to meet interesting, new people and to stay in someone else's home for nothing! But first they had to weather the conditions on their sixteen hour bus ride (not to mention the ferry crossing). Needless to say, getting off that bus was a blessing in disguise. While in Victoria, the stu-

dents had a chance to sample some of the ambiance of the city. Some visited the Wax Museum, the Museum of Natural History, the Undersea Gardens, had tea at the Empress Hotel, or just cruised the downtown area. As a group they visited Mount Tolme, the waterfront, and Butchart Gardens. All in all, the Victoria experience is one that none of us will soon forget. Hey, have you ever had a bonfire on the beach in the dark with the tide coming in? I didn't think so.







Top Right: Isn't that sweet? Shannon Friel and Paula Oliveira get all close and chumy on top of Old Smokey?! No, it's Mount Tolme!

Above: Wow! It's the grade 12 band geeks Sherri Baker, Sonia Albury, Paula Bennett, and Lena Bunzenmeyer relaxing in front of an ancestrial totem pole!

Above Right: Young love and "Priscilla Queen Of The Desert". It's Koree Fray and Daryl Gerigk as they await entrance into that way cool pseudo movie theatre!

Right: "I'm hoping for a pretty shell to find me today..." Here some of the band members go in search of the lost golden















Top Left: It's just one big happy family. Here the Concert Band and Swing Choir members stop to pose before they take off in search of sea creatures.

Top Right: Adam and Sam. Don't they represent all that Victoria meant to us? Beaches and barbeques!

Middle Left: All aboard! Even though it's not the one we were on, our ferry crossing was an experience to remember!

Bottom Left: "Come back here! I'm going to get you!" Candace Kowaluk looks like she's ready to hurt whoever took this picture... Mr. Jones?

Left: "Sleep? What is sleep?" Curtis was known for his lying in the back of the bus, in the aisle catching some ZZZ's.

# Scene Change

On March 23, twelve students and two teachers took a very long flight to Paris, France. The fatigue and the length of the flight were forgotten the minute we stepped off the plane. The trip in total was twelve days long, ten actual days in Europe and two days flying time. We spent three days in Paris, visiting the Louvre and the Eiffel Tower; however, a highlight would have to be watching all the psycho people while riding on the metro. Ooo la la la. We then went down to Nice. Eve. and Monte Carlo/Monaco. That was beautiful! We then proceeded to Italy where we first visited Pisa. famous for the leaning Tower of Pisa. Then we went to Florence. This is a great city! One night we went to a discotheque where we danced all night long, Rachel, especially, had fun with her very good looking chapstick boy. Florence is where we also left Sheldon Homa behind. Don't worry big guy, we didn't totally forget about you; we came back. Our trek across Europe continued to Rome where we spent a very exasperating day touring the city. We saw ancient Roman ruins and the catacombs, the very historic Colosseum, and the Vatican. That was great! Our last couple days were spent in Southern Italy. While it was snowing in Edmonton, we were all getting sunburned in Capri. Ooo la la la! So here's a special thanks to Madame Russo and Miss Super Fonk for putting up with our crazy antics for twelve days, although I think they should thank us for putting up with theirs. We also gained some knowledge on this trip. We learned that you should never trust people when they tell you that you're going to get your feet washed by the Pope-that was brilliant.

Our trip was filled with many funny moments and very special times that have already made great memories. Ask Jolene Spychka what she thinks of bathrooms without locks and shower curtains!

Ooohhh Grazie, merci. Ciao. Au Revoir.

- by Cassandra Hodgson





Top right: Sheldon Homa and Kim Webster take a quick "splash" in the cool ocean waters before venturing on their way.

Above: Rachel Bouska, Jolene Spychka and Cassandra Hodgson dig into pizza in Florence.

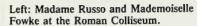
Right: Madame Russo displays her sophisticated self!











Bottom left: Mademoiselle Fowke lets it all out for the camera.

Below: Madame Russo, Mademoiselle Fowke and Sheldon Homa prove to be true tourists by stopping for a pose at a common tourist site, in Nice, France.

Bottom right: M. and Stanley Russo, Mme. Fowke, Rachel Bouska, Sheldon Homa, Donovan Gemmell, Jolene Spychka, Cassandra Hodgson, Kim Webster, Crystal Tremblay, Jackie Edge, Tammy Reiter, Karen Wildes, and Nadine Therrien.





# Awards 1994 - 1995

### Grade 10 Honours

#### Ryan Beaucage Brandie Bilawchuk Lina Bissani Theresa Bogach Katrina Bone Wesley Boshman Rachel bouska Heather Boutilier Tara Brooks Michael Brown Derek Buckingham Cristina Carnovale Avinash Chandra Mark Charney Eric Cheong Wayne Chow **Aaron Cook** Tonya D'Entremont Iwona Dabrowski Colleen Danforth Cameron Demkiw Kulvir Dhaliwal Sherrie Dixon Lucinda Dumanoir Kylie Fergusson Shelby Goetz Lars Hirschfeld Jennifer Ho Blaine Hodge Hohn Hodgkinson Alicia Holinski Sheldon Homa Sabrina Jeffrey Mona Karout Serena Kvalnes

Penny Lazaruk David MacOueen Donald Madra Steven Ma Naieeb Manah David Manna Sunita Master Travis McKinlav Robert Mitchell Andrea Nenninger Albert Ngui Cynthia Okrainetz Shauna Olechow Arvind Parmar Roverta Plasche Jordan Pon Lynn Ramdath Matthew Remington Dayna Romanick Kelly Ruptash Laurel Sadownik Marlin Schmidt Daniel Seniuk Lila Shibley **Douglas Spark** Andrew Sung Zeal Sydor Michelle Touchbourne Danny Tse Paul Welke Alvson Whelan Holmann Wong Nicholas Wong Sheree Wyness

### Grade 11 Honours

Jennifer Ash Raymond Au Sheri Baker Kristian Basaraba Oksana Bayda Paula Bennett Chanchoura Bouphasiri Debra boyko Lena Bunzenmeyer Lana Buerger Eric Cheung Sylvia Cheung Brea Chouinard Dana Dagel Kam Deng Steve Dhillon Janet Dymichkowsky Richard Engels Cindy Esteves Fiona Foo Upendra Garbharran Robert Gautam Raiven Hamsen Heather Harris John Hollinger Gavia Jackson Brian Kendall Sasha Kern Sajid Khan Sheri Koshman Cheryl Krakowka Dana Krywulak Victoria Leung Sacha Liber Alex Lim

**Dayton Marit** James Mathewson Fadia Moustarah Dan Ozegovic Steven Paholik Amariit Panesar Scott Pereira Mark Presiznuk Daren Reynolds Lisa Saiphoo Kareena Schnabl David Spang Biju Thomas Michael Tokunaga James Vanderlaan Cecilia Wong Cindy Wong Connie Wong Wai Man Wong April Zwier

University of Alberta
Enterance Scholarships
Tommy Ao
Jill Griffiths
Peter Lam
Kim Malonik
Jeannie Mao
Raymond Sung
Wes Tropak

Citizentship Awards
Wes Tropak
Colleen Tyson

Kim Ly

Household Trust Memorial Scholarship Laura Stewart

Josten's Gold Watches
Jill Griffiths
Michael Wojcichowsky

Humanities Award Jill Griffiths

Top Grade 10 Student Eric Cheong

Top Grade 11 Student
Brian Kendall

Top Grade 12 Student Jill Griffiths



Wilson Kwan

Ka Lam

Awards Listing
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### English

English	10	Katrina Bone
		Iwona Dabrowski
		Sheree Wyness
English	10AP	Wayne Chow
		Andrea Nenninger
English	20	
English	20AP	Brian Kendall
English	20AP	Biju Thomas
,		Connie Wong
English	23	Melanie Soucy
English	30	Jill Griffiths
		Tennille Stadnick
English	30	Melanie Soucy
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### Social Studies

Social Studies 10	Keith Soleski
Social Studies 10AP	Andrew Sung
Social Studies 13	Sheree Wyness
Social Studies 16	
	Mark Vandenbrink
Social Studies 20	
Social Studies 20AP	
Social Studies 23	
Social Studies	
Social Studies 30	
Social Studies 33	Christina Czyamoch

### Science

Chanchoura Bouphasiri
Jeannie Mao
Brian Kendall
Michael Wojcichowsky
Brian Kendall
Michael Wojcichowsky
David Manna
Arvind Parmar
Bryana James
Roger Maxwell
Darren Dozois
Bryana James

### Mathematics

Math 10	David Manna
Math 10AP	
	Danny Tse
Math 13	William Tremblay
Math 14	
Math 20	
Math 20AP	Lana Buerger
Math 23	Michael Webster
Math 24	Sharon Mason
Math 30	
Math 31	
Math 33	
Chris	

### PCI Industrial

### Education Awards

Bradley Christensen

Visual Communications 22 Jeff Decker

> Drafting 20 Darren Dozois

Metals 20 Eric Brietenstein

Building Construction Brad Draves

### Top Male and

### Female Athletes

Grade 10 Crystal Emberley Lars Hirschfeld

Grade 11 Susan Huculak James Mathewson

Grade 12 Crystal Lam Greg DuManoir Shawn Smith

#### Drama Award

Sean Horton

### Music Awards

John Philip Sousa Jennifer Dale

Louis Armstrong Jazz Wyan Shankaruk

Brian Tanke Memorial Band Vanessa Tomchak

# Stealing the Spotlight





Above: Sandy Lan is more than ecstatic leading the honour student to receive their awards.

Right: Michael Wojcichowsky accepting his award from Mrs. Buffi for having one of the highest science averages.

Far Right: These are just some of our most cherished honour students.













Top Right: Cecilia Wong receives the grade eleven honour certificate from Mr. Hucaluk. Good job Cecilia!

Above: Blane Hodge and John Hodgkinson wait anxiously in line for their awards.

Left: Dan Ozegovic, Kristain Basaraba, and Stephen Paholek give us their smiles of honour.

Top Left: The winners of the grade ten, eleven, and twelve top students: Jill Griffiths, Brian Kendall, and Eric Cheong.

All the world's a stage, right? That means we're all actors playing our parts throughout life. Well we're now in grade 11, one of the easiest acting parts in our lives!! We've been through grade 10, established our new cliques and become comfortable with our school. We have no Diploma exams to think about, we can sit back and just take it all in stride...well, almost, We/can watch those around us scurrving from here to there in getting all worked up, the 12's busy studying and working. What do we have to worry about? A few tests here and there that don't really account for much except for

the killer midterms and finals; I mean really, just about the hardest task in grade 11 is staying awake in class! The part we play in the eleventh grade is a fun part full of relaxation consiting of sleeping in, partying, and making excuses when we don't have our homework done. Friends play the largest role in our lives in this time: who we're going to party with on the weekend; who had our courses last their eventful lives, the 10's semester that we can snatch looking for their classes and motes from; and whose place can we tell our parents we're staying at so we can go visitour boyfriends/girlfriends. Ahh, the sweet sounds of grade 11! Who could possibly not enjoy this year of high

school? Really, a chance to act the role of teenager one last time, the time before the "future" hits you hard and strong. One last year before we have to make some serious decisions as to whom we want to be and where we want to go. Working hard is important, but remember, we are all actors on this big stage called the world, and all actors take coffee breaks once in a while!!



"The greatest pleasure in life is doing what people say you can't do."

- anonymous

"This above all; to thine ownself be true."

- Shakespeare's Hamlet



Below: "Hey, what are you looking at?" says Trevor Haisma.





Above: Caitrin Claffey and Alyson Whelan, "We didn't do it, we're innocent!"

Right: Grade 11 pals: (second row) Teresa Bogach, Liane Lefebvre, Kara Devouge, Amanda Megley, Angie Munroe. (first row) Candice Bandura, Tara Pretula.





#### Why were all Shakespearean players male?

Because Shakespeare knew that females are superior and shouldn't have to work more than they have to.

- Erin Hoskins

All great minds have a simple flaw.

- Anonymous

Because females were too busy directing and doing the superior jobs.

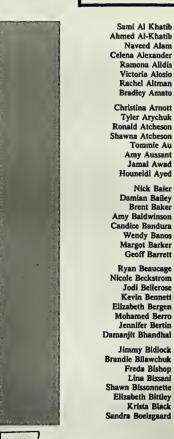
- Paula Bennett

Because no woman would sink so low as playing a witch (Macbeth), but men have no problem doing so.

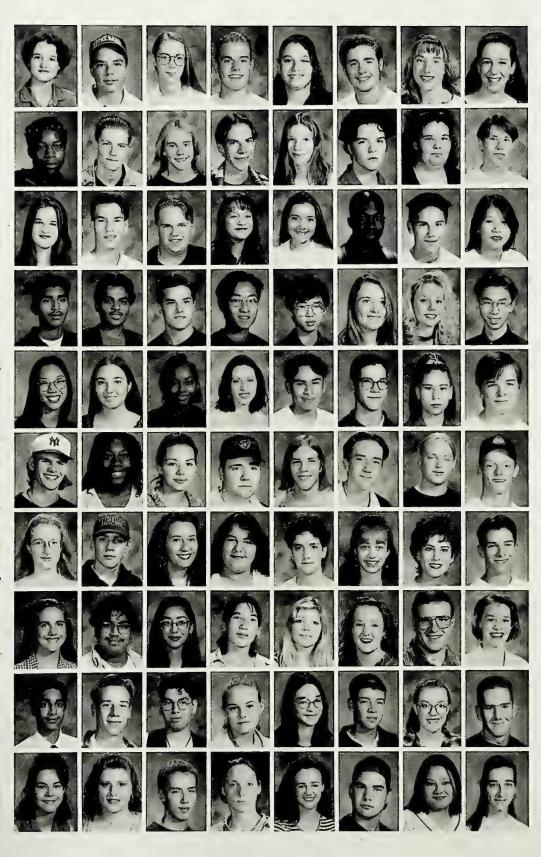
- Anonymous

The directors were all short sighted and hard of hearing.
- Wilson Kwan









Teresa Bogach Trevor Bomersbeck Katrina Bone Wesley Boschman Nicole Bouman Ryan Bourke Rachel Bouska Heather Boutilier

Tarick Bramwell Dwayne Brooks Tara Brooks Michael Brown Crystal Bryshun Colin Bussiere Angie Campbell Sean Canuel

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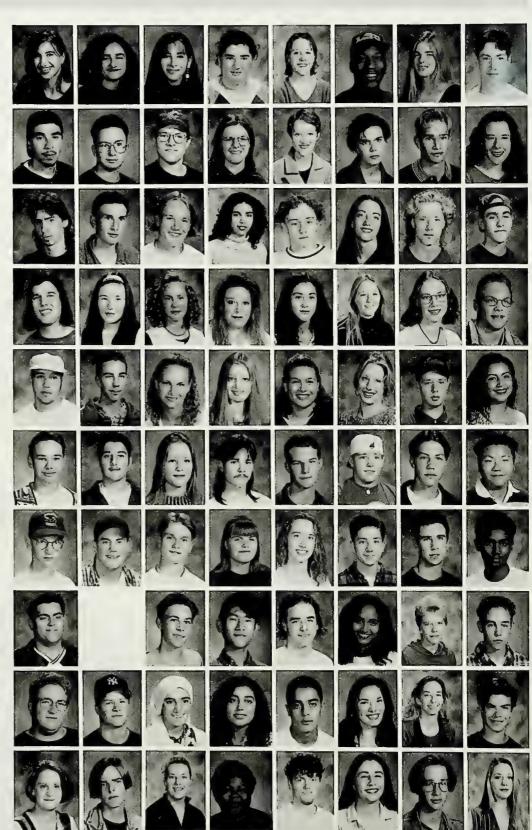
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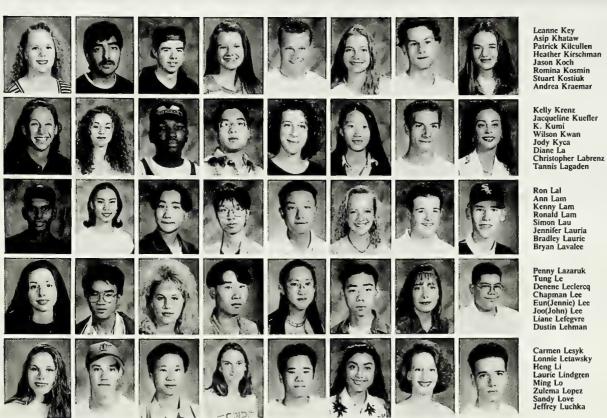
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What make psychopaths psychotic?

What do you mean? They're the same ones.

- Sajid Khan

If you keep calling a person a lunatic, sooner or later he's going to say, "Hey, I must be nuts."

- Anonymous

That little piece of broccoli in between their teeth that they can't remove.

- Anonymous

Probably because they can't spell words that begin with "psych."

- Anonymous



#### Who are the oompaloompas?

A flock of Giant Norweigan Geese who hunt down short, fat, freckled faced kids with red hair and laugh at them until they lay an egg.

- Sajid Khan

Ask the Koopa troopas (that's for you, Sajid).
- Anonymous

One of those Latin pop bands of the 80's - the ones that invented the chia pet.

- Anonymous

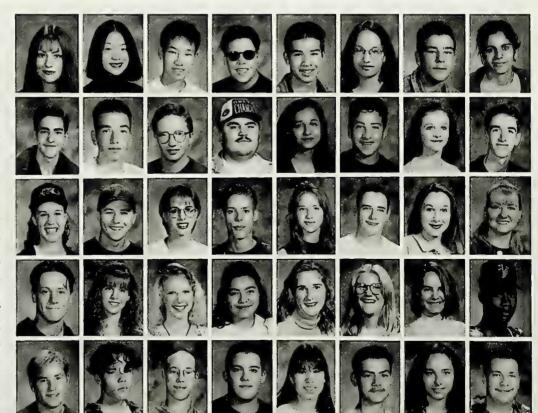
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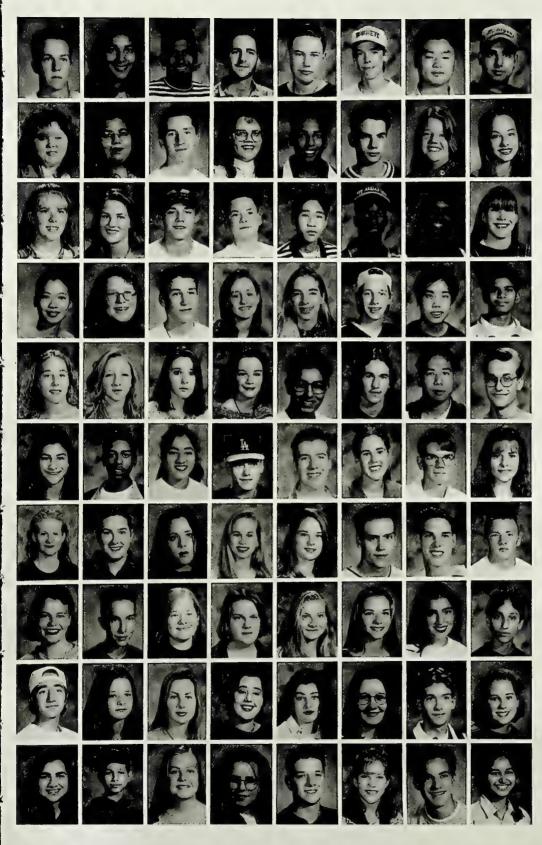
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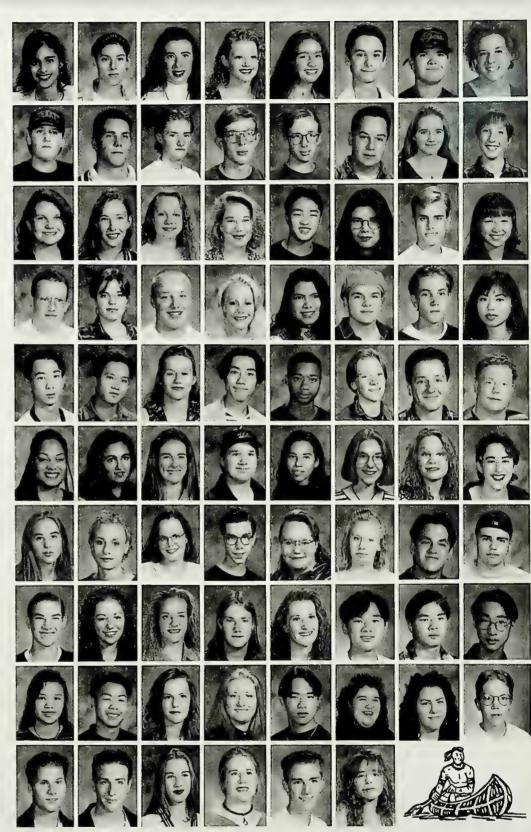
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### Bad Hair Day

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## Break a Teg

Spring is the time of year when everyone wakens from winter hibernation to go out and participate in the numerous sports emerging on the fields and courts everywhere. This a bit more activity than some people are used to, so it is also a time of injury. Take rugby for example Anyone who's ever seen or played the sport knows that if you don't know what you're doing while you're playing, you had better move out of the way. But now there aren't many people who don't know the basics of rugby. With its increased popularity, more people are flocking to the fields to watch and play this energetic and fast-paced sport.

Soccer is a game which is more skill oriented. Players spend years practicing and perfecting their techniques. For those of us who haven't spent years playing, the game continues to entertain. If rugby or soccer aren't your thing, then there's sure to be something worth trying. Spring is a time of rebirth and renewal, so why not extend this concept to include learning something new? If you have an urge to just run around, why not join the cross country team? For those who want something more intense to do that requires fast thought, there's badminton and tennis. If you're looking for something that really isn't a sport but

lots of fun and still athletic, join cheerleading.

Whether you're into basketball, baseball, or waterpolo, there's sure to be something out there for you. Bring a friend or two, or three, or enough for a team. Because this is spring and spring is a time for acting up. All you have to do is know where to find the stage and the script that suits you best.



"Fall seven times, stand up eight."

- Japanese Proverb



Below: Mike Brown goes in hot pursuit of the waterpolo ball. Keep swimming Mike!





Above: Randy Bretzer jumps high for the tip off. What style, what grace!

Right: "Psst! Do you know which are better, mutual funds or savings bonds?" Oh, the things that can be discussed in a Rugby huddle!





#### Boys' Soccer

The Senior Boys' Soccer team had it all this year. They had the strong defence of John Hollinger, Steve Dhillon, Ali Shamseldine and, of course, Lars Hirschfeld. The fancy footwork of Said Obeidat and Jamal "Magic" Awad dazzled opponents all season long. Let's not forget the leadership and experience of Mike Yassin, Rudy Molina and Nedal Moustafa, and to top it all off, the heart and fiestiness of Zeal Sydor. The boys won the "B" side of the U of A tournament, beaten by the team who eventually went on to win the "A" side. Unfortunately they were also knocked out of the playoffs in a nailbiter against the team who went on to win cities. The players will have a lot of fond memories; Zeal Sydor had 7 goals in a span of 3 games. Who can forget the Al Pacino immitation by Nedal "God father" Moustafa and Steve "Tony Montana" Dhillon? All in all, it was a fun year. Special thanks to Coach Williams and Mr. Guy.

Top Right: Ali Shamseldine and Sotirios Paravolos rush to the ball in an attempt to get one step ahead of the others.

Bottom Right: Steve Dhillon displays his fancy footwork in a rather difficult situation.

Right: John Hollinger looks on and shouts encouragement to his team mates as the play is directed elsewhere.

Right: Crystal Cromwell moves aside as Zeal Sydor, Nedal Moustafah and Roberto Coneucar lunge at the ball during the girls' against boys' soccer team.

Top: John Hollinger, Steve Dhillon, Jamal Hwad, Lars Hirschfeld, Zeal Sydor, Ali Shamseldine, Marcello Alvalia, Sotirios Paravolos, Nedal Noustafah, George Florez, Said Obeidat, Roberto Coneucar, Mike Yassine and Ozay Ciplak, the soccer gang.













#### Girls' Soccer



Soccer rules! This year's soccer season was definitely a challenging one. Especially since this year the girls played in a highly competitive division. This, however, did not stop them from doing well. With the assistance of their outstanding coach and hard work the girls successfully earned third place in the cities. Great job girls! The girls see a big future ahead of them.

-by Kareena Schnabl



Far Left: The hardworking, patient coach of the girls' soccer team, Rick Mirti.

Left: Crystal Tremblay shows her talent handling the ball with precision.

Top Left: Kelly Orchuk, winner of the M.P.V. award, rushes to save her team from the scoring of a goal against them.







#### Girls' Rugby

Middle Right: Koree Fray and Tegan Gordichuk squint for a quick picture while resting their weary bodies.

Girls' Rugby. Need I say more?! The girls on this years rugby team knew what they were doing when it came to getting out on that field. Led by captains Brea Chouinard and Cindy Esteves as well as their coach Rob Norton, these girls were able to overcome the stereotype that rugby is a sport for the guys. Try telling that to Deana! Our team was tough. These girls did not skip a beat. They were forever trying to improve their skills as well as those of their fellow players. This led them to a spot in the semifinals where they played the toughest team in the league, J.P., and unfortunately lost in overtime by a kick. Well, when the ref is red colorblind, what can you do?!







The team: Paula Bennett, Tegan Gordichuk, Jen Ash, Tonya d'Entremont, Brea Chouinard, Eleni Karageorgeous, Jen Kabanuk, Cassandra Hodgson, Crystal Emberley, Cindy Esteves, Shari Baker, Mary Coghlan, Victoria Leung, Holly Perreault, Laurel Sadownik, Nadine Kellman, Kim Rennie, Cathy Schlimme, Linda Shmyr, Darlene Kaplan, Binh Hung, Deanna Harmon, Cara Bloomfield and Pam Bowen.

Above: Good sportsmanship is shown by these ladies as they congratulate each other on a game well played.

Right: A common scene in rugby - a scramble for the ball.





#### Boys' Rugby







What is rugby? Rugby is a sport that originated when a boy who attended Rugby School, England, during a game of football, picked up and carried the ball. Rugby previously had only allowed for the kicking of the ball.

What is Guy's Rugby at M.E.L.? Total unbridled, irrepressable action, strength and effort. This team was not one to let others walk all over them. The size of their forwards was proof of that. Led by Mr. Goin, their coach, they made up one of the toughest teams in their division. They were tough, defined by some of the injuries they encountered. For example: pinched nerves, concussions, asthma attacks, sprained necks... and that's just one player! But no matter how much it hurt, the game itself is too much to give up. The team's en-

thusiasm and drive earned them a place in the finals where they, unfortunately, took second seat behind Queen Elizabeth. But hey, at least they got those shiny silver metals!



Top: Three tough players, Trevor Gerome, Rob Voysey, and Ben Match, keep their eyes open to see where the action's at.

Middle left: Fred "Derf" Kennedy shows us just what rugby players are made of.

Left: Chad attempts to catch raindrops in his mouth showing us what an exceptionally focused player he really is!!

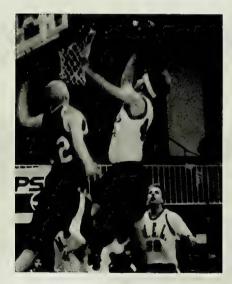
Above: James Dyment, David Brooks, Rob Voysey, Don Tiemstra, Mark Wing, Jeff Tyson, David Hodgess, Graham Michaels, Mike Horta, Kevin Bennett, Naveed Alam, Don Fobes, Alois Urlep, Chris Courchene, Richard Engles, Tim Homeniuk, Mr. Goin, Rhys Jones, Victor Wong, Ryan Kaehn, Jason Whalen, Joe Yaretz, Steve Marques, Daryl Gerigk, Fred Kennedy, Trevor Gerome, Ben Match.



#### The Air Up There

This year's editions of Senior and Junior Boys' basketball reached the pinnacle of excellence with both teams finishing the season as undisputed city champions. With both teams finishing no less than second in any of the many tournaments they entered, they will leave their mark as two of the best teams in Voyageur history. Their success would not have been possible, however, without the outstanding leadership of probably the two best coaching staffs in the city. Mr. Elniski (Senior Boys), Mr. Smith (Junior Boys), and a great supporting cast, helped their respective teams into the dominant forces they become. Credit must also go to the players, as they displayed hard work and dedication the entire year. Because of these factors, and great fan support, the guys were able to make the '94-'95 basketball season one to remember.

- by James Mathewson



Above: Graham Michaels flies with the birds as he slam dunks his next basket.

Right: Dribble, dribble, dribble! Steve Parker prepares for his next basket.





Top right: (second row) Assistant Coach Anson Bacctus, Alex Castro, Graham Michaels, John Hull, Arif Moffet, Dukie Jugwell, Coach Mr. Elniski. (first row) James Mathewson, Eddie David, Greg DuManior, Theo Parks, Randy Bretzen, Wilson Quan, Andy Mah.

Above: (second row) Mr. Mercy, Steve Parker, Dane Owen, Sean Bowen, Jason Dale, Joe Haddad, Des McDonald, Stu Koskuk, Coach Mr. Smith. (front row) Jay Harper, Dwayne Owen, Steven Marques, Cody Beckstrom, Dave Carter, Kolia Vongsamphanh, Damian Bailey.





#### Tearning the Hoops



Above: Jump, Jill, jump! Jill Harmon makes and incredible jump shot from the foul line.



The Senior Girls' basketball season was one of trial and error. The team's hard work philosophy persevered as the girls bonded strongly. They attended the prestigous Vic Redmen tournament as well as tournaments at Ross Shep in Adrossan and in Saskatchewan. The girls were defeated in a quarter final game against Shep in the Premier division, but they finished in third place at Shep.

Coached and assisted by Mrs. Jap, the junior girls had an overall productive season. They participated in a variety of tournaments including the J.P. tournament and one in Saskatchewan. Their success was marred by injuries at key times in the season, but they finished as first place city conference champions.

Bottom right: (second row) Kim Rennie, Erin Magee, Jumana Jarrah, Phalene Featherstone, Crystal Cromwell. (first row) Ninoy Bounket, Amanda McKee, Crystal Emberley, Stephanie Langille, Jasabel Chan, Amanda Engman. Missing: Eboni Cassey, manager Mary Coghlan.

Right: Is it a bird? Is it a plane? Alas, it's just Christine Lygo on the court.



Top left: (second row) Coach Mr. Jereniuk, Dion Kelly, Tonya D'Entremont, Chantale Abbot, Jill Harmon, Mihai Stefan. (first row) Sarah Delorenzo, Christine Lygo, Crystal Lam, Brea Chouinard, Susan Huculak, Veda Maharaj. Missing: Kelly Krenz, Assistant Coach Mike Plante.



#### Badminton

The following highlight the accomplishments of this year's Badminton Team: A lunch hour club ran three times a week with between 20 and 30 students participating every lunch hour; tryouts and practices began in March with a greater number of students trying out this year than ever before; we ended the season with a 6-4 record, finishing third in our division; this was one of the strongest teams ever in M.E.L. Badminton, with some VERY skilled players.

Highlights of the Zone Competitions: Victoria Leung, Stefan Bissani and

Far right: Tara Brooks seems a little camera shy.

Right: Jezebel Chan waits patiently for her opponent to begin her next match.



Above: Alan Chong really gets down when it comes to badminton, nice play!

Right: Members of the M.E.L. Badminton team: Raymond Au, Lina Bissani, Stefan Bissani, Tara Brooks, David Chee, Eric Cheung, Alan Chong, Jen Ho, Jason Hsu, Ken Ng, Jen Pon, Jordan Pon, Andrew Sung, Kitty Tang, Cindy Wong, William Wu, Jezebel Chan, Joyce Sung. Jason Hsu all finished third in Sr. Girls, Sr. Boys and Jr. Boys Singles; Stefan Bissani and Raymond Au finished third in Sr. Boys Doubles; Jason Hsu and Kenny Lam finished first in Jr. Boys Doubles, won the Metro League Crossovers and competed at Provincial competition in Brooks on May 5-6; Victoria Leung and Stefan Bissani finished third in Sr. Mixed Doubles.

The 94-95 Badminton Season was a productive and enjoyable experience for all players and coaches. We look forward to an even stronger team in 95-96.









#### Waterpolo



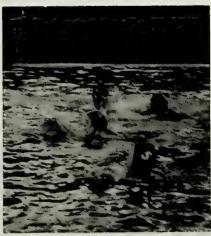
We won . . . a game, for the first time in several years the M.E.L. waterpolo team has actually been a CONTENDER for the finals. The game consists of 7 players on each team, 6 horses (kidding), a pool, and a ball. We played a challenging season and improved immensely. Truly not a sport for the weak, waterpolo tests both an athlete's strength and endurance. Perhaps the pressure will make a better team next year.

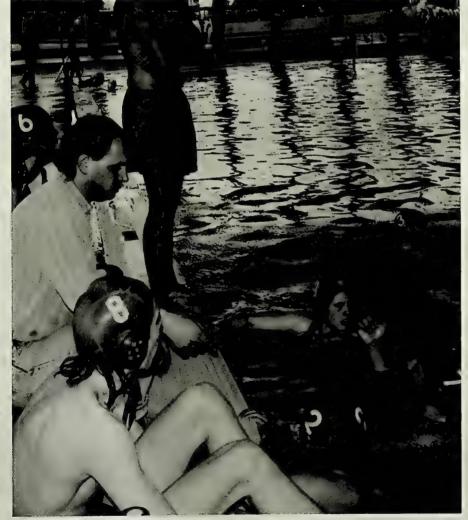


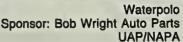
Top Left: Delane Druteika, Mr. Wright, Mike Brown, Steven Chiakowski, Wes Boschman, Naveed Alam, Ali Taliani, Mrs. Reiner, Mr. Cameron, Dan Eelhart, Angela Reiner, Mike Reiner, Mazeen Taliani.

Left: Mr. Cameron gives the team some pointers before sending them back out.

Below: Angela Reiner blindly gropes for the ball all the while thinking her opponents are right behind. Not to worry Angela — they're just your teammates!









### M.E. JaZerte Open

This year at M.E. LaZerte, a new club was formed for the real athletes of the school: Tennis. Organized early last fall, games commenced this spring with over twenty eager members. Images of spectacular serves, deafening smashes and intense volleying came to mind. Unfortunately, this did not happen when we were out there. For most of the members, this was the very first time they ever picked up a raquet. However, improvement soon followed, and with it, the love of the game. This was, of course, due to the influence of the co-advisors Mr. Kinoshita and Ms. Smith. Hopefully this club will continue next year; the appeal of court sports is quite popular among M.E. students.



Top right: Cindy Esteves, Dana Krywulak,
Tom Martin, Dan Ozegovic, Janet
Dymichkowsky, Daryl Swanson, Barry
Coleman, Darren Reynolds and James
Leskiw.





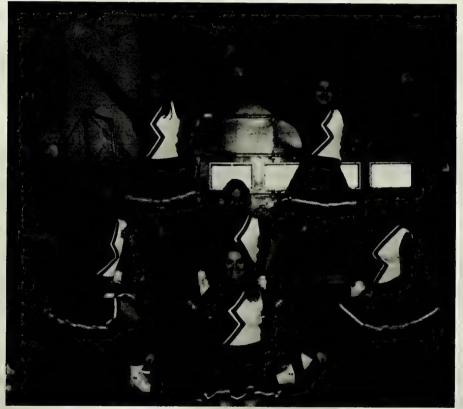
Left: Bijou Thomas, founder of the tennis club, throws his weight back, preparing to serve his opponent a smashing serve.

Above: Dan Ozegovic dips and twists to hit the low flying ball.



#### Cheerleading







Left: Team work, trust, and practice are all required to perform this formation safely.

Above: The cheerleader squad gives Karen Wilkes a lift.

Top Left: Melony Cherrington, Kim Choma, Pam Dow, Melissa Johnson, Kelly Kenny, Ann Mah, Rachel McAuley, Shauna Olechow, Roberta Plasche, Janice Stobie, Kelli Villeneuve, Karen Wilkes, Marlena Woodbury, and Bidwell the Beaver.

### Get into Character!

"Students of LaZerte unite! Together we can dream the impossible dream, achieve the unachieveable...and if we're lucky, boycott Mr. Auton's ugly ties."

This seems to be the philosophy of many students at LaZerte. From the organizers of the food hampers to the peer tutors who donate their time every noon hour, LaZerte's many clubs and organizations serve as a vehicle for many students to make a difference or just have fun.

They say there is no stopping brilliant minds on a mission. With groups like Students' Council, the Ambassadors' Club, and the Voyageur Voice staff, it is clear that these individual groups have become the essence of LaZerte.

Dedication and hard work has kept our vearbook staff running smoothly, and the organizers of Grad '95 frantically prepared for the year's graduating class. Our step team was seen in the wee hours of the mornings practicing their steps, while the science olympians worked long into the wee hours of the night. In the darkest corners of LaZerte, the skills club members met religiously, and Mr. Gosman's trivia lovers had a battle of the minds every Thursday. Amid the riotous atmosphere of Mr. Bererton's lair, the games club members all huddled in an exciting game of Dungeons and Dragons.

There is never a shortage of activities at LaZerte. For some, the hardest thing to do is deciding which group to join. Life can become a parade of noon hour meetings and afterschool sessions if one chooses to join every club. Time management becomes essential for those who are daring enough to do this. "So to all those students who believe that young people can make a difference, let us all unite and burn Mr. Auton's atrocious ties!"





"Do what you can, with what you have, where you are."

- Theodore Roosevelt



Below: Who said newspaper meetings were boring? Wallis Wong and Tim Homeniuk laugh up a storm at the Voyageur Voice headquarters.





Above: Zahara Noormahamed carefully pens out Students' Council's next event. Keep up the good work!

Right: Here, our editor and chief Kam Deng shows Emil Tiedemann, an aspiring editor, the ins and outs of the working of a yearbook.





#### Students' Council

M.E. Lazerte isn't just a school; it's a place built on blood, sweat, and tears - at least for this year. The Students' Council of 94/95 has worked until callouses formed to build up the school spirit and God knows they have tortured, perspired, and cried over, for, and after all the great events they sponsored. At the heart of this group is the multitalented Ms. Saley. She has to be multi-talented in order to work with such a diverse group of personalities on the executive and general council. With the big chief, Biju Thomas, at the reins, Students' Council has achieved great recognition throughout the student body with their meticulously planned activities. Having visited Birch Bay Ranch for their retreat, the council stated their goals for the upcoming year and was ready to put their divine

plans into action. Who could forget the Halloween activities or Spirit Week? Let's also mention the X-mas candy grams and Valentine kisses. There was also the organization of the PCL Xmas party and unforgettable pep rallies. Not only did this group contribute to the school, but they organized fundraisers for the community and other countries, namely looking for toys for Prince Charles Elementary School, and raising money for students in war-stricken Bosnia, Truly, this group has not only organized events for the school, but made themselves the foundations upon which this school year was





Above: Sunita Master shows off her pearly whites as she digs through a stack of confidential papers.

Above right: Obsessively engrossed in his work, Wayne Chow is off in his own little world, contemplating the havok he can wreck with those tiny scissors.



Right: Alison Whelan's sparkling smile is reason enough to join the Students' Council.









Far left: Brea Chouinard does what every student has desired - to beat a teacher, namely Ms. Stewart, in an armwrestling match.

Left: Here he is! Biju Thomas, as presumptuous and smug as ever!

Below: Uh...I think it's alive! Oksana Bayda and Cindy Esteves discover that balloon animals can have a life of their own.







Above: The Party: (fourth row) Tara Brooks, Lina Bissani, Paul Welke, Crystal Emberley, Dana Krywulak, Raiven Hansen, Cindy Esteves, Aly Amlani, Andrew Sung, Lana Buerger, Erin Hoskins, Oksana Bayda. (third row) Wallis Wong, Connie Wong, Alex Lim, Wayne Chow, Brea Chouinard, Danielle Salahub, Cassandra Hodgson, Caitrin Claffey, Alicia Holinski, Jinae Rogers, Eric Cheong, Steve Mah, Ms. Saley. (second row) Sandy McQueen, Wilson Kwan, Crystal Cromwell, Blaine Hodges, Amarjit Panesar, Sajid Khan, Dan Ozegovic, Sheri Dixon, Mike Brown. (first row) Ms. Stewart, Chanchoura Bouphasiri, Valerie Mejia, Lynn Ramdath, Zahara Narmohammed, Janet Dymichkowsky, Dayna Romanuk, Parmajit Pandher, Kim Ly, Veda Maharajh, Biju Thomas.

### Voyageur Voice

In its second year of publication, the Voyageur Voice has met many speed bumps in its race with deadlines and printing fees. Road hazards in the form of disappearing news ads and cranky computers which have a mind of their own, have kept our newspaper staff on its toes. Despite all the delays, the Voyageur Voice staff was successful in completing three excellent editions, and each one unique in its own way. With the hard work and dedication of the newspaper editors Heather Harris and James Mathewson, the Voyageur Voice has become a permanent future at La-Zerte. Connie Wong's group of hardworking advertising collectors have kept the paper cheap at a low, low price of twenty-five cents. And, of course, we can't forget the many talented writers who fill up the pages of the Voyageur Voice. Without them, there would be no Voice.



Top right: Voila! This year's newspaper staff: (third row) Jennifer Sargent, Sherry Phan, Sajid Khan, Jennifer Raaen, Alicia Holinski, Danny Mendes, Jasdeep Panesar, Nesrine Merhi, Wallis Wong. (second row) Mrs. Erickson, Mrs. Denkhaus, Biju Thomas, Steve Dhillon, Nadine Khan, Connie Wong, Amanda Jackman, Lisa Saiphoo, Cecilia Wong, Janet Dymichkowsky, Parmajit Pandher, Jennifer Ash, Dana Krywulak, Narisa Khan, Mrs. Hughes, Mrs. Harris. (first row) Mrs. Senuik, Cindy Esteves, Kim Ly, Chanchoura Bouphasiri, Heather Harris, James Mathewson, Wayne Chow.





Above left: Here our pensive editor, Heather Harris, listens quietly at the weekly Voyageur Voice meeting.

Above: Hot off the presses! Chanchoura Bouphasiri hands Jennifer Ash a copy of the Voyageur Voice at LaZerte's Open House.





#### Grad Council

Clearly, graduating from three years of perseverence and hard work is probably the most rewarding moment of your life. To vividly imprint this memory in our minds, the renowned Grad Council become major players, doing anything and everything to make grad run smoothly. Under the esteemed tutelage of Mrs. Malayko and Mr. Stobbe, Commemcement and Banquet become the epitomy of or-

ganization and success. Extensive discussion, commitment, and decision making is what characterizes this efficient and competent group. In short, those who stay up until the wee hours planning the most important moment of your life have sacrificed much for your sake. Grad Council 94/95 have given themselves to this endeavor.





Above: Mrs. Malayko, Miss Fowke, Connie Wong, Cecilia Wong, Lisa Saiphoo, Mrs. Russo, Miss Sereda, Ms. Shelton, Mrs. Manchakowsky, Patti Escobar, Lena Bunzenmeyer, Kam Deng, James Mathewson, Mr. Stobbe, Bobby Gautam, Kim Hamilton, Fadia Moustarah, Chanchoura Bouphasiri, Ali Taliani, Tim Homeniuk.



Top left: Lena Bunzenmeyer of the Grad Coucil searches for new ideas.

Top right: Dining out? Kim Hamilton, Lisa Saiphoo, Cecilia Wong, Chanchoura Bouphasiri, and James Mathewson definitely



Above left: Tim Homeniuk - smile for the camera.

Above right: Sharing thoughts -Tim Homeniuk and Mrs. Malayko

#### Crime Stoppers

This is the first year that our Student Crime Stoppers have been pro-active. Pro-active means that the students do not hide their identities and try to stop crime before it happens. Many students do not even know what Student Crime Stoppers do. These students do not "rat" on others; their job is to award money to anonymous tipsters. I am very proud to be the chairperson of the Student Crime Stoppers, and I thank the advisors and the students who volunteered to help keep our school's crime rate down.

- by Heather Harris

Right: Mr. Gowans, Crystal Emberley, Jeff Tyson, Cara Bloomfield, Pam Bowen, Nick Wong, Constable Kristenson, Jasdeep Panesar, Amanda Schultz, Lena Bunzenmeyer, Vicki Leung, Bobby Wong.



#### The Groundlings

The First Nighters attended eight performances this year, and they met the actors and received food after each one. The plays were Caesar and Cleopatra, A Man For All Seasons, Richard III, The Beggar's Opera, The Cherry Orchard, The Lay of Land, The Music Man, and Oh, What a Lovely War. According to Pam Bowen, the funniest among them was The Lay of Land, but the best were the The Music Man and Richard III. Unfortunately, there weren't any plays that they could throw rotten food at!

Right: (third row) Cristina Carnovale, Rachel Bouska, Pam Bowen. (second row) Sajid Khan, Cindy Esteves, Mrs. Erickson, Mrs. Hughes, Mrs. Gemmell, Heather Harris, Scott Pereira. (first row) Paula Bennett, Sherri Baker, Lena Bunzenmeyer, Jolene Spychka, Shannon Friel.





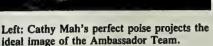
Below: Leave me to my warm, cozy bag for another ten years. Kareena Schnabl attempts to shut the world out and get some sleep...

#### Ambassador Team











Every individual has a conscience and so it comes as no surprise that M.E. has one too, namely the renowned Amabassadors' Team. This exuberant group of self-motivated students and their three advisors, Mrs. Pirnak, Ms. Kokoski, and Miss Rocco, have initiated various activities for the school and community. As expected, not a single negative comment can be said. Being a clandestine group last year. the team has now exploded into a far from discreet organization - there are just too many heads to count! Like every association in today's vicious battlefields, a.k.a. society, they have sponsored a myriad of events. It all started with a massive brainstorming retreat to Strathcona Wilderness Centre where - excuse the cliche - the seed was sown. From there, the Ambassadors coordinated peer tutoring sessions, opened an "Ecclectic Fashions" store, acted their true age by storytelling at the PCL X-mas party, sponsored the annual "Jobs for the Nineties" community workshop, and many other activities that would give anyone attempting to keep track a headache. Life is - excuse the cliche again - a bowl of cherries for the lively group.

Above left: The whole entourage: Naveed Alam, Shari Auten, Chanchoura Bouphasiri, Dionne Buchan, Eric Cheung, Simmi Dhaliwhal, Alyzza Hopfe, Sandy Lau, Larne Lee, Cathy Ma, Alison Maxwell, Kareena Schnabl, Krys Tomusiak, Connie Wong, Matthew Zee, Shauna Attcheson, Amber Bowen, Marianne MacDonald, Michael Deonarine, James Romas, Wayne Chow, Wes Boschman, Dan Seniuk, Stefania Semeniuk, Heather Boutilier, Adam Halliday, Sherri Binges, Amanda Jackson, Nicole Dunham, Frances O'Connor, Upendra Garbharran, Alicia Holinski, Sajid Khan, Steven Ma, Albert Ngui.

Left: To be productive, you have to be like Eric Cheung - logical, linear, and sequential.



#### Skills Club

The M.E.L. Skills Club aims to foster self-esteem and high achievement among students pursuing courses in Career and Technology Studies. The club is involved in activities which develop leadership skills and team building. Ultimately, the club gives students the opportunity to prepare for future careers. This year, the M.E.L. Skills Club participated in a cardboard boat race and a cardboard tobaggan race. A team

of four students cooperatively designed, built, and raced a cardboard boat and toboggan. They won the most weight bearing category in the cardboard boat race, capturing first place in both design and speed categories. Students who participated were Dayna Serediak, Christina Woelinga, Chris Sherman, Chris Hawrelak, and Steve Loomer.

On March 10, 1995, the M.E.L. Skills Club attended

a Leadership Conference held annually at NAIT. Students were given the opportunity to play teambuilding games and listen to influential guest speakers from various industries.







Top right: Nola Duboski is hard at work on the Skills Club's latest project.

Above: Chris Sherman, Christine Woelinga, Dayna Serediak, and Steve Loomer and the Edmonton Power Dino gear up for a toboggan race.

Middle right: Don't rock the boat! Chris Hawrelak paddles feverishly to the finish line in the tugby team cod boat.



Above: Say cheese! Dayna Serediak and Christine Woelinga gave their best smile for the camera.

Right: I spy with my little eye, Chris Hawrelak on his knees working up a storm.





#### Eureka!

Below: "Here you go. You're a very nice little car." Chanchoura Bouphasiri gently sets the "photon torpedo" car down for the race.

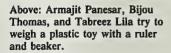


Led by Mr. Bererton, in about two weeks the science olympians managed to cram a horde of information about concrete and calculating the size of organisms through a microscope into their stressed "little grey cells" in addition to building a "photon torpedo" and a pasta bridge. The photon torpedo was a small solar powered car that had to run under what seemed to be impossible conditions. The two M.E.L. teams, Amino Acid Trip consisting of Kareena Schnabl, Connie Wong, Chanchoura Bouphasiri, Paul Welke, Kam Deng, and Lorne Kern, and Mitochondria consisting of Biju Thomas, Sajid Khan,

Amarjit Panesar, Aly Amlani and Tabreez Lila, were ecstatic to see their cars move 10cm, let alone several metres! The pasta bridge could consist of pasta and glue and must not exceed 2kg. At the competition, everyone was impressed by some of the beautifully crafted bridges of other teams, but still, they held their breaths with hope when theirs were tested. The judges loaded weights onto the bridges to determine how much they could hold before crumbling to pieces. As it turned out, Mitochondria's bridge, which contained more glue than pasta, bent like a rubber band and fell

between the tables instead of cracking! It was plain, but wonderful in their eyes when it won third place, withstanding their predicted 28kg. The car made by the Amino Acid Trip team received a gold metal because although it crawled a few centimeters. some did not even move! They were also second in the concrete category, and to their surprise, placed first overall in the competition. Hopefully, next year's teams will have as much fun. Delight Mr. Bererton again by doing well!





Right: Connie Wong, Chanchoura Bouphasiri, Lorne Lee, Koreena Shnabe, and Kam Deng ponder over the concrete event.







Top Right: (third row) David Manna, Sajid Khan, Bijou Thomas, Amarjit Panesar, Lorne Lee. (second row) Koreena Schnabl, Mr. Bererton, Dan Kern, Connie Wong. (first row) Chanchoura Bouphasiri, Kam Deng.



#### Wacky D.J.'s

If I were to ask if there is one easy way to overtake the school, what would it be? The Radio Club of course! Head D.J. Mr. Cathers leads the way as his juniors follow behind, learning the ways of a disc jockey. One rule Mr. Cathers enforces is that although those who know you may listen to whatever you want to play, there should be absolutely no "lewd, crude, rude, and obnoxious" words. This club

has grown over the years and the air time has moved in class from juvenile to high quality, but the members did not get in and have fun for nothing...student Union Ticket Packs were sold to help purchase new and improved C.D.'s that everyone loves and would like played. Though this club is quiet, it's a blast once you join.







Above: Here's the radio club:
Jolene Spychka, Harold
Semenuk, Scott Horton, Sean
Horton, Amarjit Panesar, Dana
Dagel, Crys Tremblay, Jennifer
Raaen, Scott Pereira, Tim Shew,
Greg Gladish, Neil Cochrane,
Alois Burlep, Cameron Demkiw,
Dayna Romanick, Nicole
Bouman, Jeremy Kwan, Cynthia
Okrainetz, Kelly Ruptash,
Michael Cooper, Farley Pacheco.

Top right: Scott Horton announces the next fantastic song with Harold Semenuk and Jolene Spychka in the radio room.

Right: "Uh, this is Jeremy Kwan and Tim Shew on the LaZerte radio station..."

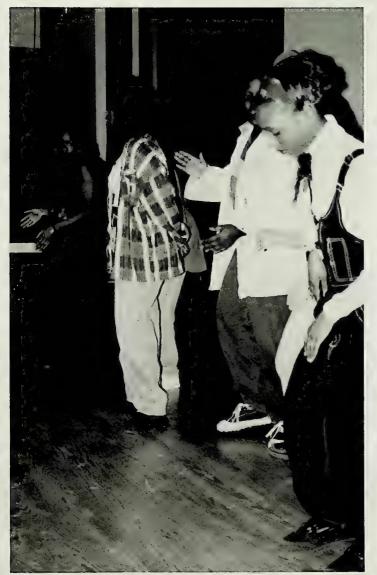




Middle: Amarjit Panesar and Tim Shew, two goofy radio club members, saying "ahhh!" for the doctor.

Above: Mr. Cathers, Tim Shew, and Crys Tremblay head for class after a noon hour of music juggling.





#### Freeze!

"Y'all wanna be down, with the M.E. crew. Y'all wanna be down, with the funky crew. No matter the time, you cannot bust our moves. Y'all wanna be down!" And who wouldn't want to be "down" with the M.E. LaZerte Step Team, the number one step team in Edmonton? It takes a lot of determination, time, effort, and coordination to pull off such a feat, but they surpassed all obstacles and won the First Annual Step Off Competition. There, they beat their opponents, the Ross Shep Step Team, a victory that has been long due. Since the arrival of the Step Team last year, they have enticed everyone with their mesmerizing style of stepping, a new form of cheering. Under the guidance of Ms. Smith and the leadership of Michelle Morgan, this team is sucessful because it is stacked with talent. There is the show-stopping interludes of Chantelle, Lenore, and Carolee; the sweet voices of Heather, Karenu, and myself, Veda; and the creative talents of Meaghan, Hilary, Raiven Angela, and "Little" Michelle. This prestigious team has performed all over the city including elementary and junior high schools, basketball games, the Stadium and Colliseum, clubs, parties, City Hall, and even in front of the Edmonton Public School Board of Trustees. But of course, they love performing for those who love them the most - their peers at Pep Rallies at LaZerte. The new year approaches and new talent will join the team. Hopefully, stepping will always be strong at M.E. because... "The Vogayeurs are the number one step team!"

- by Veda Maharajh





Far left: (third row) Angella Kellman, Chantale Abbott, Lenore Gero, Heather Hunt, Meaghan Ellis. (second row) Michelle Cole, Hilary Johnson, Michelle Morgan. (first row) Veda Maharajh, Kara-Lee Lord.

Top left: Valerie Mejia, Heather Hunt, Lenore Gero, and Kara-Lee Lord practice their steps in the lecture theatre.

Left: What was that next move? Raiven Hansen suffers a lapse of memory during practise.



### Off Tike a Herd of Turtles



"You may be disappointed if you fail, but you are doomed if you don't try." I drew courage from this comment by Beverly Sills when I first decided that I would seize the role of yearbook editor. The task was quite astounding to me when I thought about it. Imagine, whatever is done will be set on paper forever, and it may possibly be criticized as our staff does with older yearbooks! It seems quite overwhelming and nerve-wracking sometimes, but it is also one of the most gratifying and rewarding experiences to collect writing from the different creative minds in the school, to capture various people in action on film, and then to bind everything into a sort of biography that will retell to us the story of a short moment in our lives when we take a wistful, nostalgic look back. I regret that I couldn't do everything I wanted to do, but one thing I've discovered while being a part of yearbook is that there are not enough hours in one day. especially when we were ap-

proaching a deadline. I thank my staff and my advisors, Mrs. Watt and Mrs. Erickson, for their patience during my occassional bursts of absentmindedness, and Mr. Cimolini for taking the time to care for my troubles and for solving any technical problems. I also appreciate everyone's cooperation in the school - everytime I made inquiries to someone, I received a friendly answer although my questions probably seemed strange, and everyone was tolerant of me when I blinded them with the camera!

I want to apologize for the mistakes that I am sure that you will find in this year-book. Remember, nobody is perfect, least of all me, and everything has been done by a group of stress weary people, most of whom belong to a billion other activities! I strongly advise people NOT to be involved in everything because, as a German proverb states, "Good things are not done in a hurry", and believe me, you will be in a rush most of the time if you

do that! One of things I am sure some of you critics will notice is our picture of the physical education staff, I want you to know that I am aware that the picture was from last year, but do you realize how difficult and impossible it is to actually round up the phys ed staff?! Anyway, I do have Mr. Guy's approval to put it in; it was his suggestion. I must make the correction that Mrs. Sutherland is no longer part of the staff of LaZerte, and I apologize again. Please be tolerant of our other mistakes.

I feel that I must mention my wonderful instructor in Olds who advised me not to "plan too much". We poor students constantly hear the words "plan, plan, plan", and it is important, but too much planning can leech the fun out of life. Sometimes actions performed on the spur of the moment lead to a path that a person had not considered before that is more gratifying. For instance, an actor sometimes gives the most brilliant performances when he reacts naturally to the moment instead of how it had been planned. Always be prepared, my instructor had told me, but do not be blind to other options, so those who still do not have a clue about what to become later in life, don't worry. I admit that I had been one of those plan crazy people!

I also send my gratitude to every member of the staff and the custodians who had brightened my day with a smile or a word of "Hello" or "Good morning". These small gestures have always fuelled my determination to proceed, especially when my confidence ran low. I will remember the occasional words of praise given thoughtfully to me by Mr. Dunwoody, the uplifting advice from Mr. Meek, and the tremendous faith and support from Mr. Bererton. To satisfy you, Mrs. Watt, I admit that I have come a bit "out of my shell" as you insist on putting it. Now, you must work on Emil!

To everyone, I wish you luck in everything you do: "I'm a great believer in luck. I find the harder I work, the more I have of it."

- Stephen Leacock

Kam dindeng

Kam Lin Deng



Below: Chanchoura Bouphasiri, Connie Wong, Emil Tiedemann, Kam Lin Deng, Scott Pereira, Mrs. Watt, Paula Bennett, Caitrin Claffey, Erin Hoskins, Katrina Bone, and Mrs. Erickson.





### Script Writers

Behind the dark and inconspicuous door found in the corridor ruled by "Auton the Terror" sits the cramped yearbook room where the yearbook staff creates the tangible souvenir of high school. To ensure that the final product is the finest the staff can produce, several members were sent to spend a few precious days in August at the Old's campus to learn the skills required. Sounds boring, you say? Actually, it was fun with the group of many quirky students from all over Alberta. It was obvious that the strangest ones came from our yearbook club; during the Lyp Sync, Erin and Caitrin gargled "Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star" with the lights off and their glow-in-thedark vearbook T-shirts on. In school, the ability of the staff members to finish assignments scant days before the deadlines is amazing! Mrs. Watt should be commended for staying sane amidst the panicky madness just before the dreaded things. Now with Mrs. Erickson, who is wonderfully calm, her work should be lighter. Scott seems to worry even more than the editor does, always ready with questions whenever he hears of a problem! As for the rest of the staff, Sean appears to have some sort of attraction for the camera from all the pictures we have of him; Emil is even shyer than the editor, which had seemed impossible: Katrina is sane and very reliable; Paula is usually all smiles; Erin and Caitrin, you already know how strange they are; and Connie and Chanchoura are inseparable "siamese twins"! There is also Jasdeep who takes care of the technical problems. They are all good workers under stress, so keep that in mind when you spot the faults!



Left: Erin Hoskins concentrates on designing a layout, although she is the photographer.

Above: Pizza! The staff is rewarded a pizza party after the horrific first deadline was met. Caitrin Claffey and Scott Pereira can breathe and smile now.



# Act 3

This is the final show, the last call! Enjoy it while you can (and believe me, we did!). There is more felt within a grade twelve's mind when this year ends than any other year. We have been fighting for three years to have supremacy over the other grades, and, finally have grabbed the lead roles instead of playing the extras. Our teachers, who play our directors, guide us through the basic steps, the who, what, where, when, why, and how's of life. This year, the performers who play the role of grade twelve students are promoted to graduates ... a giant step on the world's stage. In May, the grads have a "cast party", namely

their Commencement and Banquet. What grade twelve graduates strive for is a sort of lifetime achievement award, achieving goals while searching for a career. Of course, it all begins with the first day of school. Remember trying to find your classes. Well, before that, you have to go down the right staircase, not the fire exit. Or how about the Biology 30 class with Mr. Dunwoody where all the guys found out that "they weren't the only ones!" Only Kareena Schnabl knows how it feels to fall directly in the middle of a scummy slough, full of tiny microscopic organisms the class later picked off and

studied. Oh, is that Mr. Stobbe investing in a new kind of hair gel? All these incidents were purely accidental but truly unforgettable. May our time on stage be an exhilarating and long one, but don't forget the people who watched you, who applauded, and most importantly, who helped you through the time you forgot your "lines" or didn't make the proper "movements", and the people who picked you up when you fell. May the spotlight shine on you...?till the curtain closes.





"Life's but a walking shadow, a poor player that struts and frets his hour upon the stage and then is heard no more."

- William Shakespeare

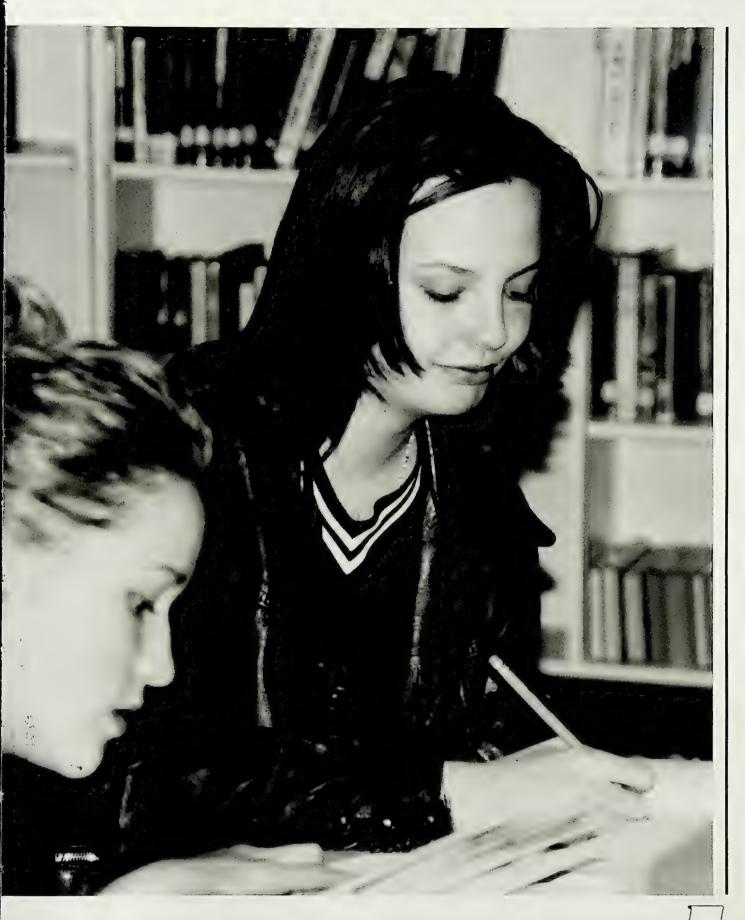


Below: N, this is in no way posed! Lana Buerger and Sherri Koshman will always be "shiny and happy people".





Above: "What?! You mean you guys are actually going to listen to me and put this picture in the yearbook. All right, I love the yearbook staff!" (Tim Shew) Right: What are these two beautiful ladies doing in the library? Oh, Jen Raaen and Crys Tremblay are studying for one of Mr. Mock's killer Social tests.





Naveed Alam Wishing I could have been more to all of you. "If we do meet again, why, we shall smile; If not, why then this parting was well made."



Sonia Albury
Congrats to all grade
12's & esp. you band
geeks. School has
been a blast, and I
will never forget the
wonderful band
trips. Yipee! Life is
what YOU make of
it, but there is a
great future for
everyone.



Hana Al-Khatib



Mona Al-Khatib My ambition is to enter the Mofa, and to hopefully pursue a career as a doctor. I'll never forget the great times I had with my friends. "Don't give up on your dreams; because dreams can come true" Love you all.



Alykhan Amlani
"I have a dream to
one day live in a
nation where people
will not be judged
by the colour of
their skin but by the
content of their
character." Y'all
down with the Kundi Krew, Aw-yaa
Baby!



Jennifer M. Ash
Thanks for all the
help. Thanks for all
the hugs. Thanks for
all the love. Sisters
by heart will never
part. God bless my
friends and family,
especially Greg.
Remember, live each
day to the fullest.
Best wishes Grads.



Raymond Au Thank you for sharing a great time with me. See Ya!!!



Marcelo Avila



Dion Aw



Baddiea Awad My ambition is to accomplish the best in life, and to make my dreams a reality. Thanx to all my friends. I'll always remember the great times together. "Never let anyone steal your hopes and dreams." Good luck to all.



Cory Babiuk My future ambition is to become a police officer. Most memorable moments are hangin' out at Richard's, Chem 20 (twice), and 11/19/ 94. Congratulations everyone and best of luck in the future.



Kevin Baden



Sherri Baker
Even if all your
dreams don't come
true, you can be
thankful that your
nightmares don't
either! I love you allyou know who you
are. Remember: "No
great genius (me)
ever existed without
some touch of
madness."



Doug Barich
"If you don't practise hard, then
don't practise at
all"-Walter Gretzky. Good luck to
all my friends old
and new. Thanks
for all the memories. Thanks to
Korey for introducing me to C.L.
She's great!



Kristian Basaraba
In the future I plan
to become a mad
scientist and conquer the world, then
start my own religion. Props to the
Armada for all the
rad times. "Sanity
is a full-time job in
a world that is always changing."

Oksana Bayda I hope to attend the U of A in business, become wealthy, travel, have a family. I'll never forget the gang, the guys, camping, parties, and poker. Thanks for the memories!! Thanks LB!



Paula Lynne Bennett "Stand out boldly from the crowd. Don't fit in, don't give in. In celebrating your oddness you celebrate the astonishing variety of our species." "Tis a poor perversity but 'tis my own! -"Carpe Diem!"



Mark Bently MEL was great but the future looks greater. May long weekend 94, Labour Day 94 and all the little bashes were great. Remember 'Give me a halfhour and Roenick is twice the player Neely is."



Carrie Berg My future ambition is to be the best that I can be at whatever I decide to do. My favorite saying is "Get a grip."



Jason Bilyk



Robert Bishop



Eric G Black I made it! Finally. Thanks to all the women at the ramp. Live through the eyes of an aritist. Remember the times we had Peter in and out of high school. But there's more to come when we're old.



Kelly A Black It's time to say good-bye to high school and hello to the real world. Thanks to all my wonderful friends for all the great memories (They'll never be forgotten) Thanks especially to my mom and Bobby I love you guys!



Kerri Boles Three things you can always count on are Chevy trucks, cowboys and good friends. My favorite memory: May long weekend 93. My dream is to one day own a Chevy truck.



Chanchoura Bouphasiri My favorite memory of ME would have to be the time Mr. Bererton nearly killed us in his car. Remember the speeding bus Con! Oh! and to you dear sweet Darren, I'll always be the best so pooh on you!



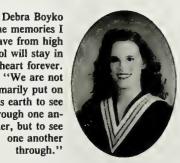
Amber Bowen To FORGIVE is to be STRONG, to hold a GRUDGE is to be WEAK. Celena one day we will talk. Thanx to my TRUE friends. May we always stay in touch. Nik I wish you were here. Best to everyone in the class of 95!



Stephen Bowen



The memories I have from high school will stay in my heart forever. "We are not primarily put on this earth to see through one another, but to see one another through."



Nuno Branco



Randy Bretzer





Paul Briggs



Jason Brosch
School at ME has
been the best. Hope
everyone thinks so
too. Good luck to
all grads.
Estalavista



Jason Brown
When I am in
Kelowna I will
remember the many
people I have met
along the way. In
the famous words of
Cliff Burton- To
live is to die.
Remember- you get
five cents on each
beer can you return.



Ken Buchynski
I'll never forget the
summer of '94. Dre
don't eat pasta anymore. Gonzo, you will
use U2 someday I
hope. Thanx for
January 27/95. You
know who you are. As
a great person said
"Give me a half an
hour! By the great
Markis B.



Lana Buerger
"We came from the
deep, to learn to
love, to learn to
live." High school
has been so significant. Don't forget
the memories esp
Europe 94 SC 95
OB SK and the other Ukes remember
Bar-V Nok and the
bridges It's been fun!



Lena Bunzenmeyer "The moment may be temporary, but the memory is forever." "Don't miss the beautiful colors of the rainbow looking for the pot of gold." Always live life to the fullest; you never know when you're gonna croak. Luv ya



Cara Campbell



Mitch Campbell
Here's to the boys
from the wall, the
times we had, I'll
remember them all.
Over to cook when
ever we could, 90
cents never spent so
good. It's been fun
times we found,
Let's head to the
basement for
another go-round.



Sang Cao It's been a rollercoaster ride but it's been the best three years of my life so far. Jabba, Buddha, Dog and Dee. Ya! You know who you are and the many others, thanks for the great memories we have shared. See ya in 10



Jorge Castillo
My future ambition
is to become a computer engineer and
make the world a
better place. To all
my friends, have a
nice life.



Mavis Ka Yin Chan



Siphy Chan FS: "As if geekous" FM: 93-94 summer with CY and the "S" sisters. It was great. Luv ya geeks. Q: "Life is like a box of chocolates; ya never know what you're gonna get." FA: To be a fashion designer and make billions.



David Chee SEE YOU LATER!



Theresa Chestnut Travel, go to college, and work fulltime. Ukranian camp, good times with the crowd, and Marty. "Behind every great man there's a woman."



Eric Cheung
So we are birds
leaving from their
nest, but someday,
we are going to look
back at our golden
years of high school
and laugh at ourselves. Best wishes
to all graduating
Voyageurs!!!

Sylvia Cheung



**Huong Chiem** 



Brea Chouinard
To all the boys for all
the laughs, to Lana's
talks in the car and
Susan's forks in the
cafe- Thanks. After
three years I found
some-thing I'm actually good at. No, not
John, rugby. Fight
hard, play strong,
power to the woman!



Kelly Ciciarelli



Dale Clinton
I would like to be a
fighter pilot and
marry that short
special girl (she
knows who she is!)
Thanx to C.C. and
all my friends.



Barry Coleman Good times Good friends Good-bye.



Colleen Cook



Michelle Corriveau



Brad Crowfoot
Always remember all
the great times with
the boys on and off
the field. The beautiful girls and great
football in Calif.
Almost winning
cities in Sr Football
and the glory in
Jr's. Play hard and
live long. You only
live once.



Dana Dagel
Here's to the 21st,
Woody, the Coffee
Cup, P. Arts, tree
bowing, and great
friends. In the
future I hope to
have a vocal career
and find a man as
flexible as Gumby.
Keep music in your
soul and rock hard
like Janis Joplin!



Michael Dar
My future ambition
is to travel around
the world. A favourite saying- "Way
to go, dude." A
quote- "The corn is
never guilty in a
court of chickens."



Jaime Davey



Eddie David
My future ambition
is to go to college
and play basketball.
My favorite memory
is winning the city
senior champion
ship. The two
things you need to
live in this world
are girls and
money.



Jennifer Davis



Sarah(GP)de
Lorenzo
My ambition is to
hit 5 feet. Always
remember the "Big
B" the talks in Bannerman Park with
Dana and all the
great times with my
friends. You guys are
great! Love Ya! (And
to my better half.)





Kam-Lin Deng I hope to become a successful engineer. I will miss the warm security of high school, but I leave with fond memories of friends and teachers. Best wishes for all. "No bird flies too high, if he soars with his own wings".



Pam Dewhirst



Pardeep Dhaliwal



Simerjit Dhaliwal My ambition is to go to NAIT and be successful. I would like to thank my parents for supporting me. I'll never forget my friends. You guys are the best. Good luck to you all in the future. "Always be yourself."



Steve Dhillon
Wasup 2D Kundi
Cru. I'll always luv
the Simpsons, sports
& Gretz. I plan to
be successful, envied
& ruthless. Always
fight for what you
believe in. Money is
not everything, the
lack of it is. C-Ya
M.E. The world is
yours.- Scarface.



Sandi Dorn
Any holiday,
Spareology 101 "If
mama ain't happy,
ain't nobody happy." Everything
happens for a
reason. If it doesn't
happen, don't
worry about it. It
was never meant to
be.



Sean "Hardbody"
Dory
"Time goes you say?
Ah no, Alas, time stays, we go." -A.
Dobson It's been fun. I'll remember the good stuff. I hope to see most of you regularly, and the rest I'll see in 10.
Good luck!



Darren Dozois



Nola Duboski
My future ambition
is to be a legal
assistant. My favourite memory of
high school: Skills
Canada Boat Race
with R.Y., R.W.
My favourite saying
is Yep Yep.



Colleen Duffy
Favorite saying:
"Help I've fallen
and I can't get
up". Future ambition; Marry rich.
Favorite part of
high school: All the
cool friends I made.
Jen, thanks for
always stepping on
my feet!



Nicole Dunham
It was far from a blast and I'm glad it is over. Thanks to all my friends; I would have never finished alone. And to the people who were not well... two words. Remember Just Be Yourself.



Janet Dymichkowski Plans: Astronaut to my pals, thanks for the fun times (the parties,clubs,etc.) You've taught me of life and love with laughter and tears. Without you guys, I wouldn't be "me". "Live long and prosper!" I love you & I'll miss ya.



Jocelyn Elliot My ambitions are to become a cosmotologist. My favorite saying is "Really!" My favorite memory is English classes with Erin. "Don't eat yellow snow,"



Tanya Emberly
My future ambitions
are to be a cosmotologist and to own
my own salon. My
words of wisdom
are never play with
fire. You always get
burnt.



Richard Engels
Future: University,
pro waterskier, Mr.
Olympia or Lumberjack. Will remember
football, rugby and
all the good times.
Will play rugby until
I'm old and grey.
Fight'em till hell
freezes over and then
fight 'em on the ice.
INDY.

Peter Erxleben
It's been fun. Always
remember- when the
going gets tough the
tough cut class! Eric
buddy we made it.
To all the ladies,
let's rock! The times
we shared were good
and bad but they
were always ours.
Remember forever!



Patricia Escobar
I would like to
thank God, all my
friends and especially my parents and
Mike, for being there
for me through thick
& thin. To all always remember:
Learn from yesterday, live for today &
dream for tomorrow!



Rob Eskiw Crash and burn. Hey Guys, but speed and beauty will never die!



Saleem Esmall



Cindy Esteves
The years here have
been great. Thanks
to all my friends
(especially the crew).
I want to wish the
best of luck to
everyone and if you
ever get sick, come
and see me when
I'm a rich, famous
nobel prize winning
doctor.



Jodi Ewald
Thanks to all my
friends for giving me
fun, memorable
times! Especially
Sherra, Jason,
Roger, and Bubba.
I'll never forget you
guys and will love
you forever! Oh, and
Roger, it wasn't my
yearbook! Keep in
touch!



Deliah Fagnan



Misty Fiddler



Laura Fisher
To finish college, to
fall in love and have
kids. Hanging
around with Tanya,
Dean, Zam, Pam,
Gol Richelle, Bobbie,
and of course my
best friend Krista.
And to all other
friends, good luck in
the future; I'll
remember all of you.



Fiona Foo
"Do not take the
bull by the horns,
then you can let go
when you want to."
Thanx Vic for 4 yrs.
& more, Kim- 1
right color, and all
my friends- "Enjoy
when you can, endure when you
must." GOETHE



Crystal Forges
Congratulations to
the class of '95! My
ambition is to major
in textiles, clothing
& culture. Great
times with my
friends. Love you!
Be careful not to
judge others as you
will be judged
someday.



Vick Lee Fortier
I could only wish I
am a success in
whatever career I
choose. My favorite
memories were
spent with all my
spinnie friends. But
I cherish the opportunity I had to meet
a very special love.
PS: Baked Potatoes



**David Fulton** 



Upendra Garbharran
I suppose that this
year marked the end
of the 12 year stretch
although another,
yet not as fun
awaits. I wish to live
comfortably and
reminisce those awesome nights with
ME friends. (Grin)
"Hooked on Phonics
worked for me!"



Bobby Gautam
To Hus, Ro, Derek,
UP and the gang.
ME will never forget
the blunt mess we
had. My goal is to
be richer than you,
and 2B the most
famous man in the
world! "Hooked on
phonics messed me
up!"





Eiche Gharabli FA: To be very successful. FM: Getting engaged to Cameron. FS: I don't think so. Friends are those who are there through thick and thin.



Josie Gibeault I've really enjoyed being with my friends and learning from them. Life is a cher of bowlines.



Raymon Gill
My best memories
are hangin' with the
Kundi Crew &
DP's kickin' butt!
To succeed in life,
it's not what you
know! I plan to be
a computer freak of
some sort. "Trust
none, not even a
cockroach!!"



Renee Giordano



Mundeep Grewal
I hope to go to the
U of A and become
a teacher. I want to
thank all my friends
for being there and
my family for the
support. I'll never
forget you guys. "If
you haven't learned
to love, you ain't
learned nothing."



Martin Halun
I plan on getting a
job so I can buy a
car and go on a
Trip with someone
special (Theresa).
Hangin out with the
boys was always
fun. Geeyah! Life
ain't nothin but
women and money!



Kimberly Hamilton It seems that although these are the "best years", They're also the hardest and my friends have become more important to me. I just want to wish Immy my love; I miss you!



Raiven Hansen
My most unforgettable memories will
be of the STEP
TEAM, the strongest
group of women I'll
ever know! To my
friends, I'll see you
in 12 years ... when
you're all looking for
psychiatric help!
"Expect the unexpected!"



Tricia Hanson
My ambition in life
is to be happy and
healthy and most of
all to have a beautiful family. I want
to thank you Desi
for entering my life.
Always will love ya!
To my friend Juli,
thanks for being
there.



Lee-Anne Harder I will never forget the good times at M.E. I plan to make it big with those 6/49 numbers. Remember life is what you make it so make it good! Buddies have a good time in all you do! Lou has left the building!



Jill Harmon



Corinne Harris



Heather Harris
The friends and memories made in the last 3 years will last a lifetime so don't be in a rush to see the future. Take your time and hold on tight to everything you have now. To my friends: I will never forget you!



Laura Ann Hatcher This is the year of big decisions. In 20 years, an English teacher may look back and laugh at those decisions. I miss my old Grad class, but this one is great. The word to describe me this year was "obsessed" Good luck to all!



Tarek Hatoum I want to thank all the teachers who taught me and special thanks for all my supporters, especially my brother and his wife. And last I'd like to thank my parents.

Fadia Hawa
I plan to be a successful business
woman and live life
to the fullest. You
can endure anything
life sends your way;
stay positive and
have faith in God.
Good luck to the
class of 95.



Karin Helfenstein 1995 already? Well I hope everyone gets what they want in the future-best of luck! To Lonny: I don't want to go to the graveyard. Is that so wrong? And to the key-you will always be my baby. Have a great summer!!! Later...



Marsha Hiew
I hope to finally
decide on a career
that pays lots of
money. These high
school years were
the best. From the
D.P.'s to the
O.G.'s, thanks for
the good memories.
I wish all my buds
a happy future.



John Hollinger I went on a journey leaving trails full of memories..... Very big eyes kept everything in sight under the surface, a devil emerged... no one forgets, but great ones forgive. Enter the new with love in heart and.. with past in mind.



Beth Holmes Thanks for all the laughs, its been a blast! You will all be remembered. See ya in 10! Kelly see ya in 11 maybe 12 but Kerri and I'll love you anyway!



Tim Homeniuk
To all my friends
that I met through
the years: They say
that we learn all we
need to know for
life in school. It
looks like we'll
prove them wrong.
I wish you all success in the years to
come.



David Hoppe
Golf Proffessional.
fun times with Kyle
and Mike fishing.
Good memories of
Europe 93, Bio 20
and English. Hanging out with Curt,
Andy, and Zane was
a blast. Wild nights
with the guys on
Jasper. I'm the
Sheriff.



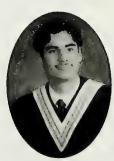
Sean Horton
So many people to
thank. Thanks to my
supergirl, my giddy
chums, COOL and you
THE FANs for making
this possible. Just
remember, if you want
to tell people the truth,
you had better make
them laugh, or they
will kill you.



Sherri Houle
My future ambitions
are to someday own
a business of some
kind. My friends are
my favorite memories. My favorite
saying is ... wow!
Words of wisdom
are to never give up
your dreams, they
can come true!



Mowafa Househ



Amber Housworth



Phat Hua



Susan Huculak Major laughs and broken forks in the cafe. Good luck Grads, the B-ball and rugby crew. B.C and S.K rock! Look for me in the '96 Ringette Draft!



Christopher Iancu



Amanda Jackman
I hope to be something I will be proud
of. I will always
remember the
friends who have left
footprints in my life.
"What happens to a
dream deferred?
Does it dry up like a
raisin in the sun?"
Langston Hughes





Vanessa Joseph



Karen June
Words of wisdom
"The best way to
predict your future
is to create it!
Throughout my
years of high
school, I have met
many great people
and learned a lot of
new lessons. Take
care and I'll see you
all in the future.



Ryan Ralph Kaehn To my mentor Geatan Duchense who gave me strength for my three years of schooling. I want to fly a kite for a living. I would like to eat pizza and watermelon every night.



Bill Kaleniuk
Last call boys.
Cheers! To the one
who was with me as
the apples went bad
-the one who got us
across county lines the one who will
always be a king the one who got the
Royal treatment, and
the one who linked
us all together.



Norm Kapustinski Thanks to the boys for the memories, you guys are the goods. Japan 91 was one to remember. People do not plan to fail, they just fail to plan. Johnny you went too soon, but I will never forget you.



Wasseem Karaman



Jamie Katerenchuk
Thanks to all my
friends for making
my years at M.E. so
memorable. Here's to
the past and definitely to the future.
Peanut Butter and
Jam are always a
good combination!
Right Penner! I plan
to be the best I can.



Dion C. Kelly
Thanks to all my
good friends for
making the last
three years memorable and remember
that determination,
confidence, and persistance will get you
everywhere! "Haduna Matata" I'm
there for you.



Brian Kendall



Robert Kent



Corey Ketsa



Steven Ketza



Nadine Janelle Khan I plan to live a comfortable life with a well paying job. I'll always remember all the memories with the crew. "Always be respected, not feared".



Narisa Yasmin Khan Thanx to the crew and my friends for the good times and the laughs. Friendship is always a sweet responsibility, never an opportunity. -Kahlil Gibran



Rozeena Khan



Sajid Khan
Who's the man?
Three years of endless laughs and
memories. I can
honestly say that I
spent more time
playing pool than
studying. I'm getting
kinda good at it;
must be that 'brownian motion'. It's U of
A time.



Pamela King



Tanya King



Wilson Kong
I cherish my life in
high school. I met
many valuable
friends in there.
They made my life
full of happiness.
After high school, I
hope to go to U of
hope to go to U of
to H.K to begin my
business. See you
guys in HK!



Sheri Koshman
Here I come Pharmacy. Finally I'll be
able to sell drugs
legally. Like a S-15
to a RANGER,
high school started
good and got better.
Thanks for the
laughs: B.H, S.C.,
L.B., and everyone



Dana Krywulak
Thanx to my friends
for all the great
memories (especially you Mr.NB!) The
smiles on your faces
have been left in my
heart. Keep smiling,
keep laughing, and
keep on eating
Grimace happy
meals!



Jeremy Kwan
The pandas in my
dreams won't invite
me in for tea, for
there is no room for
me at their mahjong table. If you
should die before
me ask if you could
bring a friend-STP
A Phoenix rising
needs a holy treeU2



Nancy Lan
My future ambition
is to travel around
the world. I will
never forget all the
good times with
friends. My best
memory is when
Kareena fell in the
pond. Best wishes
to all my fellow
Graduates.



Darren Lashchowski



Reshmi Lata
M.E. LaZerte is well
known and has remained a valuable
constant. Look back,
remember your time
here as one of fun,
excitement, and personal achievement. I
know that I'll recall
these firsts with
great memories that
last.



Sandy Biegsan Lau
I want to marry my
first love JMS, be
successful, and happy. "Be kind and
civilized and don't
descend into the
dark abyss." I'll
always love JayMichael and his
beautiful smile, my
cheeky monkey.



Rachel Lawrence
My future plans include travelling, college, success and
happiness with Jeff.
Strive to be the best
you can and never
give up on your
hopes and dreams. I
wish Jem ma and
Leah all the best
luck and love for the
future.



Jaret Lee



James Leskiw
Thanks to everyone
who made the past
three years so enjoyable. I hope to
be very successful at
what ever career I
choose but if not being a bushman is
not that bad. Happy
huntin'.



Travis Letendre





Carolyn Leung
I'll never forget the
good times. Thanx
to my friends for
the great memories
and the support.
"Where you come
from is not nearly
as important as
where you're going." -Anonymous



Pan Leung



Victoria Leung
Thanks to my Grad
class for a wonderful 3 years. I'll never
forget the guys, the
curly bunch, MEL
athletes and you, FI.
Let's "Go forth to
meet the shadowy
future, without fear,
and with a manly
heart." Love ya'll!



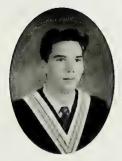
Kevin Lewis



Eric Li
The three years of high school are remarkable for me.
I have met many friends here. I hope that I can go to U of A and then go back to China. I want to be a successful person.



Alex Lim



Michael Ljevaja I plan to go into business at the U of A. I'll remember these times at M.E. and sooner or later I'll get you all back! Just kidding.



Dana Lovell
To become an autobody know it all.
Hacking with the buds! To live is to party!! As long as you go to school, party hard and live the good life.



Kim Ly
Forever imprinted in
my heart are the
smiling faces of the
"Brown Crew". "I
think of black + I
think of blue, I
think of red, + I
think of you, I think
of yellow + I think
of mauve, no more
colors do I know."
K. Reeves



Christine Lygo I will never forget the good times in v-ball and b-ball especially the trips to Saskatoon. To all my best buddies out there I will never forget you, and all the good times we shared.Luv you all! See you in 10."red"



Genni Mackenzie A smile a day makes everybody's day a lot better. Remember if you quit now, you still will have to come back and face them again. Thank God that I am finally finished. GM



Tara D Madaski
"Ti-ta" To become
a successful entrepreneur. Favorite
memories are always getting into
trouble with C.S.
You may make it
here together, but
then you have to
start all over again.



Andy Mah AKA "Buddha" My favourite memory was the 94-95 basketball season. The best group of guys you could be around with. Being "CITY CHAMP-IONS"



Veda Ashra Maharajh
"I dare do all that may
become a [woman] who
dares do more is none
"Shakespeare I am
proud of all I have
achieved; in activities
and sports I give
respect and love to all
of my family, friends,
and especially the crew.
Take care!



Rupy Mann



### Charlene Manning



Dayton Marit
It's time to move on
to bigger and better
things. To the gang,
thanx for three
great years. The
memories will stay
with me always especially the ones
with you Miss NB.
Faith and determination are the
keys to success!



Shawna Martel



Scott Mark



Thomas Martin I will always remember U2, Muff boy. Let the drink fest begin. Roy for Prime Minister.



Silvia Martins



Jenny Masih



Ben Match Have a nice life.



James Mathewson
92 Football Champs
95 B-ball Champs
To the "North
side" boys, we were
the best. To all my
friends and sports
guys who I grew up
with, good luck. A
balance between the
heart and mind is
where true wisdom
lies. See ya!



Juli Mayes
My ambition is to
be very successful.
Thanks Mitchell
and Tricia for the
special memories. I
wish you both the
best. Thanks mom
and dad for all the
support. I couldn't
have done it
without you.



Alison Maxwell



Roger Maxwell



I hope to win the lottery, buy an Island off the shore of Jamaica and live happily ever after. F.M California 93,

Holly McBride





Richard McDougall I would like to be a mechanic. I will always remember my automotive classes. F.S. Eat my dust! W.O.W. If your car doesn't look good, make sure it has bass!



Kristina McKee





Mark Anthony
McLeod
To all you who
didn't think I could
do it, HAH! Did it,
done it, wrote it,
didn't mark it, but
still passed it.
Peace.



Daniel Mendes SWM-Looking for a stunning, beautiful woman to share my future wealth. She must know how to spend lots of money and like fine dining. Is this you? Good luck to everyone. May all your dreams come true.



Olga Michailides
I hope to become a
police officer.
Memories of ENG
30, "my nose", city
champs in soccer.
To Raiven: Are you
vexed? To all my
friends: Thanx for
the great times.
"You dont know
what you have until
it's gone."



Becky Mills



Daniel Tony Moreira It's been a great three years. Now it's time to move on and pursue the careers we choose and to see them through. I give thanks to my best friend Jorge who has made my stay a memorable one.



Nicole Mork
Thanks to my
friends for everything. One cannot
change yesterday,
but make the most
of today and look
with hope towards
tomorrow. I'll always
remember Bamfield
95 and Europe 93!
Thanks for the
memories.



Carly Morrison
I hope to feed all
the starving people
in the world and
make all the world's
problems disappear
... or maybe not!
You know who you
are, so thanks for
the 27th. Jen, we
really should have
that party.



Fadia Moustarah I dream of becoming successful & rich. Favorite memories were of the fashion show & flying to Mrs Nordheimer-Gotcha!! Hey Olga, pray to Zeus! "Little drops of water, little grains of sand make the mighty ocean & the pleasant land".



Nedal Moustafa
In twenty years I
will be just like
Hitler. I will take
over the world and
be a legend after
death. "Ya I
know". "What goes
up must come
down".



Angie Munroe Thanks to my weird and wild friends for a great time. (Liane, Mandy, Kara Teresa, Ryan, and Kris) and remember: Eat your cornflakes with a fork, and do your homework in the dark. And just think Hakuna Matata!



Guru Nagi



Reena Narayan My ambition is to fulfil my dream and win life. Thanx to all my friends and parents for all luv and support. To all my buds, I hope all your dreams come true. Have fun till you live. Good luck to all grads.



Brandi Nitz
I hope to become a hairstylist and one day open my own salon. My favorite memory of high school is May long weekend 93. Stay out of those lakes Melissa. Have fun in the future. See ya!



Melissa Nykyforuk Favorite memory May long weekend 93 and Thanks to all my friends for all the great high school memories. You know who you are.



Frances O'Connor I intend to pursue my career in cosmetology & to accept offered challenges & opportunities. My success & happiness depend upon my fullest expression of myself. I'll look back to yesterday with love. Good luck!

Reagen Osinchuk



Tricia Osterlund



Dejan Ozegovic
I hope to one day
make it to Monaco
and enjoy life with
great friends.
Thanks to all for an
unforgetable year,
may good fortune
find you all. I'll
find my model some
day. All your fortune lies beneath
your hat.



Stephen Paholek My only hope after school is to persue whatever makes me happy in this big world. Best wishes to all friends and my sweetheart. I'll never forget any of you. Remember: If you mind it matters If you don't mind it doesn't matter.



Darcy Palichuk



Parmjit Pandher
United we stand,
divided we fall, to
gether we could con
quer all! I will al
ways remember all
the great times
hangin' with the
crew and the OG's!
Best of luck to all
my friends and take
care!



Amarjit Panesar
Down with the Kundi crew! Cooooooooooooo! Peace,
good will and good
fortune to all my
friends. Don't be
strangers in the
years to come. In
the future: "Get
your head ready, instead of getting
physically sweaty!"



Sotirios Paravalos



Sean Pasternak
Thanks to all the
guys and gals for
the good times and
the loads of fun.
Don't lose touch!
Remember "Live
when you're alive
and sleep when
you're dead".



Bryan Pastor
Well boys, it's been
great hanging out
for 3 years drinking
root beer in the
parking lot! Future:
Become the next
Norm Peterson! and
be wealthy. Good
luck to all of the
shrubs, you all
know who you are!
Gretzky rules!! 95



Colleen Pecknold "Chacun son gout!" Favorite saying: Mike



Scott Pereira
Can't forget Hay
Fever, leaving my
pookums alone, anything that rhymes
with "cool" and my
green country singing girl who said
"Surel" All I know
is that if there was a
class called "Life",
I'm still passing!
CAR



Holly Perreault
Favorite sport is
RUGBY! Best memory
of high school was jello
contest with pep yum
or shall I say blah? Oh
and good luck to all
my friends in the
future! Words of adive- Don't become a
no income, couch
potato NOTHING!



Sherry Phan
Love's only chatter
friends are all that
matter. Getting
kicked out of BIO.
for a month for taking food from next
door and Apr. 11,
93 at the Pacific
Rim mall are the
most memorable.
To have my own
Advertising Agency.



Blaine Piasetsky





Kent Potter



Jennifer Powell
Thanks to all my
friends who made my
years at M.E. very
special. Good luck to
all of you in your
futures and may all
your dreams come true.
Enjoy the grad and
never let the memories
made here, fade away!!
Love ya all!



Mark Presiznuk



Jennifer Erin Raaen Hey, how are your gonads? Here's to woody, kiddy pools and my little monkey boy. I am a mean keen, wild dog, and anger is my caffeine. Brazil, where the Brazil nuts come from! Enjoy your toys!



Sandra Rafuse I hope to become very successful in Television Broadcasting If you love so mething let it go, if it's meant to be it will come back. Always remember I love you Jadon. Thanks for everything.



Shelly Ram
My ambition is to
accomplish the best
in life, and have the
power to make my
dreams reality. This
grade 12 year gave
me lots of happy
memories and sad
ones too. Good luck
to all the grads!



Tammy Reiter



Rahima Remtulla I hope to become successful. I would like to thank my friends and family for their support. My word of wisdom-"Don't quit for you're not a failure until you fail to try". To my friends good luck and best wishes in future.



Andrea Reyes



Darren Reynolds
"Don't be dismayed
at good-byes. A
farewell is necessary
before you can meet
again. And meeting
again, after
moments or lifetimes, is certain for
those who are
friends. Richard
Bach, Illusions



Pablo Riffo



Jodie Rodd



Ryan Romaniuk



Terry Rooyakkers.



Curtis Roy
Live life as it comes
and PLAY HARD.
The best part of
school is just about
to start. The
weekends were the
best. Curt you're
the last. When are
you going to get
your wheels?



Rhonda Ruby



Lisa Russell
Whether in love or
life, it appears that
if you love something set it free, if
it comes back it is
yours to keep, if it
doesn't it was never
yours to begin with.
So, "drink life to
the Lees". Party
Hard!



Lisa Saiphoo
Patience is a bitter
plant but its fruits
are ever so sweet.
To my friends both
old and new:
friends are never
forgotten but cherished in our hearts
forever. FUNKY
CHICKEN we have
to get together soon!
Luv ya!!



Monica Salmon
To the crew of 92,
long lost friends and
far away loves. To
Ribt and the entire
Vic gang,you are
with me always. To
aussies, mermaids
Indian outlaws and
weasels, never lose
touch, and always
remember, the fish
loves U. Pescado-out



Chris Sandford



Nawal Sanduga



Jennifer Sargent
The present is the
point at which time
touches eternity.
Remember this. In
the future I plan to
marry for money
and become the
manager of Costco.



Cory Scade
My future ambition
is to play for the
Canadian volleyball team. My
favorite saying is,
"Is that so!"
"Hakuna Matata"



Kareena Schnabl
My future ambition
is to attend the U
of A and excel in
environmental
sciences. I will
never forget driving
with Mr. Bererton,
the ecology field
trip and the great
times with the swim
and soccer team.



Christine Schoep



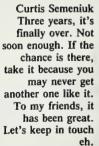
Jackie Rocky Schur
It's been 18yrs & I
still don't have my
license but I have an
Eliminator. I'll
always remember my
blonde buddy & the
brown crew. They
will always think of
me as a sunburnt
lobster who'll go to
Alabama & become
a HICK.



Jennifer Scott



Moneria Shaben





Monear Shaben
I plan to be a very
successful lawyer,
and own my very
own Porsche 911
Turbo. In grade 10
I felt like I was in
grade 12 because I
knew a lot of people
in 12. "Shut up
dork".





Ali Shamseldine Become a millionaire. Playing soccer. Not really.



Fatima Shamseldine I plan to live a happy and full life. I will never forget Mr. Rosiewich's math 30 class. It is not doing what you like but in liking what you do that is the secret to happiness.



Matt Sharuga
A box of beer, a
hockey cheer. Our
stomachs loyal to
crown royal, six of
us were all smashed, to Cook and
back we never
crashed. When I
think of all the fun,
I have to know it's
just begun.



Tracy Sheremeta
Oh man! After four long years at
LaZerte I'm glad to be done. Too bad I don't know what's in store for the next four years. To the freaks I once knew: People are afraid of what's different.



Zane Shulko
I had a great time
over the last 3 years
but I'm sure this
summer will be even
better. Gonna have
a blast. L8r.



Christine Sinclair



Roshila Singh



Verlena Sitek



Kortney Smereka Memories of hanging out with the guys at the oors and goofing around. I love you Carly. Glad to be out of here.



Heather Solowan A true friend never gets in your way unless you happen to be going down. - Arnold H. Glasgow Thanks to Nicole and Carolyn for being TRUE friends! It's been a blast! Thanks for the memories.



Zebina Somji My future ambition is to live life to the fullest and to achieve the best. My best memories of high school are of warm friendships. I hope all my friends achieve the best in life.



**Andy Soto** 



David Spang
I hope to become a
famous chef. To all
my friends, never
forget Ralph the
wonder bucket. Life
is like a box of
chocolates, you
never know what
you are going to
get.



Leanne M. Sprake My future ambition? To further my education, in business and be successful!! Hold on to your dreams, 'cause only you can fulfill them and make it reality. To the class of '95-Good luck in the future! SEE-YA!



Owen Stasiuk

Terri Stecyk
I remember someone
eating white out mmm pretty good hey
Dee! As for all my
friends we have had
some good times and I
will never forget you
especially the laughs
right Eddie! But don't
count on me doing
your taxes right!!!



Greg Stefaniuk



Chelsea D. Stefiuk

"Chi- chi" To
become a correctional officer.
Favorite memories,
always getting into
trouble with T.M.
Favorite saying:
"You're so sneeky!"
Never underestimate
the power of a
blonde.



Kimberly Stenberg
It's finally over but
now it all begins. I
plan to be living
rich, happy and successful down south.
"There isn't a moment of our life that
isn't potentially ripe
for an opportunity."
Good luck y'all!!



Lee Stewart
My ambition is to see
the world from behind
the wheel of my 66
Mustang, Look for me
at the track tomorrow
with Iron. "Eye of the
tiger." "He's gone country look at them boots".
Look for me living in
my van down by the
river -Cowboy.



Lisa Pearl Strong
"Finishing high
school is the first
step into the
future."



Michael Stulberg



Daryl Swanson



Shawn Symborski



Janet P. Taino
"Education is the
key to success."
"Think big achievements and back
them up with big
faith." Graduation is
not an end but just
the beginning of a
greater task ahead.
Congratulations and
good luck to all the

grads.



Ali Taliani



Cindy Tan



Agnes Tang
All that you do, do
with your might;
things done by
halves are never
done right. Aim
high; dare to try!



Tanya Teed



Erin Tennant
My ambition is to
become a cosmotologist. My favorite
saying is Really! My
one favorite memory is English with
Jocelyn. "Don"t bet
on a dead horse."





Nadine Therrien



Martin Thibodeau FA: Autobody FM: All of the great friends I met. FS: And how & darrr. The first three years of high school are great and the next three will be even better.



Gerald Thom These 3 years of high school have been a blast and an experience I'll never forget. It's been fun while it lasted but now it's time to move on. Always re-member, "Good things happen to those that are patient."



Biju Thomas There is nothing so grand in all the world as a glorious departure, excepting, perhaps, a humble one. My best wishes to all the fellow graduands.



Heather Thomas



Theresa Thursby



Tara Tiffinger



Mike Tokunaga I would like to thank my friends. family, and particularly my beautiful girlfriend Patricia who stood by my side and supported me through the rough times.



Crystal Tomusiak Ambition: to achieve greatness in literature and my career; to find Mr. Right and to remain close to Sandy and Cathy. Quote: La distance n'y fait rien: il n'y a que le premier pas qui coute - Marquise du Deffand



Crys Tremblay I've experienced losing & winning it all in soccer, coping with my invisible thoughts and the art of life; however my knowledge is merely primitive. I envision a land open wide. yet the truth remains a mystery.



Tanya Tulik (Peaches) Thanks for coming out. It has been nice knowing you all. Have a nice life. Buh-Bye



Mike Twele Looking forward to more fun times on two wheels and finally getting out of debt.



Stefan Urlep Never let go of your dreams; you have the power to make them all come true. Be all that you can be. See you all around.



Wes Vallevand The last 3 years have taught me that rolling your car is no fun, you can never get too many pow sessions in the Canadian Rockies, and if you're gonna go, go BIG! Can't wait for the big day. "Behold, I am com-ing soon" Rev22:7



Tim Vanderhoek Being with friends. I want to be rich. Save a dollar a day and retire early.

James Vanderlaan
I wish to thank
everybody who
made my high
school years so
memorable. A
special thanks to
my friends also for
being there. I wish
them luck in the
future.



Gonzalo Vasquez



Hi-D Villanueva
"Achievements
come only to those
who are not afraid,
to those who have
courage to exert
their strength, and
have the grit and
determination to accomplish what they
have started out to
do."



Richelle Wandler



Kerri Lynn Waritsky
To all my friends
thanks for the
memories and
laughs! May long
weekend 94 was the
best, hey Kel! Cruising on Kevin's bike
was a blast!
Remember: hockey
players are heart
breakers and don't
ya forget it!



Kim Webster
High school taught
me "imagination is
more important than
knowledge." To be
happy you must live
now and laugh
LOUD, just like the
crew! Thanx for all
the memories, and
thanx to my
"Shrub" for luvin
me like I luv you!



Laurie Weymouth
FA: To go to NAIT
and travel and to be
on Jeopardy! The
most important
things in life are the
hardest to say
because words
diminish them -S.K.



Jason Whalen
Favorite memoriesfootball, rugby,
Amanda, da football
boyz Mark Kev Dave
Mike Brad Don &
Vic Gr. 12 is a time
I'll never forget.
Remember, fortune
favors the strong and
the strong play football and rugby. See
ya on the field



Bart Wiebe
Although I've had
many great
memories, my
favorite memory is
the broken chair. I
also have had a
favorite saying "Hey
Reg, I don't like the
way they cover
themselves up with
those feathers like
that!"



Jen Williams



Mark Wing
"The nearest way to
glory is to strive to
be what you wish to
be thought to be."
Football and rugby
were awesome.
Thanks Jason Mikey
Kevin Dave Jeremy
Don and everyone
else who made the
last three years so
special.



Angela (Cam) Witty
Her past? Just one
cup of coffee after
another. But when
questioned about the
future all she said is
keep your head and
fit your life in the
trunk of a yellow
cab. "Why?" you
ask. 'Cuz history
owes me one...



Kyle Wolfe
The three years of
high school were
great. I had some
good times like Bio
20, Europe 93, May
long weekend 94
and ice fishing 95. A
word to you all if
you run into a problem: "When all else
fails play dead."



Tanya Wolfe
To the new love of
my life, Damian,
thanx for the many
nights I have spent
awake with you.
You have made my
year. I love you
forever and always
... to all the graduates, good luck in
the future!!!



Andrew Wong
I learned a lot of
new stuff these last
two years. ME was a
great memory but
this memory will not
last cause I might
leave my best buddy
behind. Thanks for
all the times we've
shared together. I
love "U".





Candy Wong Life isn't easy but my friends are always supporting mel Thanks to everyone who has given me great support and courage, especially Miss Smith, Miss Sereda, Miss Kokoski, and Mr. Rosiewich. I'll remember



Catherine Wong My ambition is to be a pharmacist. High school had been unforgettable, thanks for the memories. Remember "Every once in a while life hands you a moment so precious, so overwhelming you almost glow."



Cecilia Wong
Everything I didn't
do yesterday added
to everything I
haven't done today.
Plus everything I
won't do tomorrow
completely exhausts
me! Ambition: To
be out of school by
the time I'm considered old.



Cindy Wong
Thanks to all my
friends and teachers
who were always
there to help me. I
will never forget the
fun times I had
playing badminton
and studying together with my
friends. Good luck
everyone!



Connie Wong
It's safe to say that
we've come to a
great fissure in
time. I wish luck to
my fellow grads and
hope they will succeed in whatever
they do. The future
is a time when "our
friends are true and
our happiness is
assured."



Jason Wong



Wallis Wong
My ambition is to
be a journalist. To
all my friends, we
all had some great
memorable times at
LaZerte. Best
wishes to the class
of '95. Enjoy it
while you can,
because you only
graduate once!
GOOD LUCK!!



Rola Yassine
I hope to own a
chain of daycares.
Hanging with those
Iroc lovers and the
other Musketeers.
"Life is like a box
of chocolates, you
never know whatcha gonna get."
Live for the future
and accept nothing
but the best!



Geoffrey Yee



Vicky Yu



Korey Yushchyshyn Howdy. Through the past three years I have met a lot of unique people. I would like to wish these people a happy and safe grad as well as luck in their future endeayours.



Filmon Zerai My future ambition is to go to university. Words of wisdom: Mo' money, mo' honey. Favorite saying: Yeah... I got skills.

Shari Auten
Life is an endless
road which we travel. Bear all joy with
pride and all sorrow
with dignity.
Dreams do come
true so keep them
ALIVE! Strive for
the future- because
nothing lasts forever! Have a good
one! UNoHoo!

Jenn Burak
...Mickey has fond
memories of her
high school years
unfortunately only
one year was spent
at M.E. She would
also like to thank
that special person
who pushed her to
the end. Good luck
to all grads of '95
I'm out of here!!

Dennis Foss My ambition is to be a country and western singer and going to all my classes with a clear mind. As if! Get out of my room. David Gallinger
To my psychotic
friends Jeff, Ryan,
George, and Steve I
leave nothing b/c
I'm not dead. I'd
name others if we
were allowed to
write initials. Long
live the Holy Fungus, and I hope you
all get really rich
and famous.

Sherri D Killian My future ambition is to be a Social worker. My favorite memory is partying at Atomic. "Just Jokes!"



Marrianne
MacDonald
Being with friends
and going to pep
rallies. An apple a
day keeps the doctor away.

Rony Mathews I plan to live a long & successful life as the next communist leader of India. My favorite memories are hangin' with the Kundi Crew In the words of Tony Montana, "money is power and with power comes respect".

Dat Nguyen Rich gifts wax poor when givers prove unkind.

- Shakespeare
Everyone dies
Be Bad or Be Good
Face Consequences
But never regret
Best wishes to Grad
of '95.

Shannon Pfeil
Live life to the
fullest. Never stop
having fun! DANA
Don't forget about
checking Northgate.
And I'll never
forget the good
times with Chris
and Dana at Elite
singing the OH
Song. OH OH OH
OH OH!

## Currently On Jour

Franz Abaya Raelan Agle Douglas Alde Robin Allen Jean-Mark Aloisi Michelle Aluaro Dan Anderson Michelle Anorichuk Dennys Aquian Talal Barbar Javis Barton Marcelo Bazzaglia Tracy Beck Sandra Besuven Shalika Bhasin Stephan Bissani Melanie Blicq Brandi Bond Pamela Bowen **Daniel Bruce** Shanna Butchart **Edward Campbell** Renee Casauant Praneel Chetty Anna Chow Rico Chow **Bradley Christensen** Jorge Costillo **Bryon Cox** Wesley Cresswell Erin Czymoch Erin Dean Chris Debski Brandie Diserlais Rockie Dove Heather Dow Tracy Evertson Robert Fedoruk Darcy Fersovitch Jaime Flores

Jorge Flores Craig Fox Upendra Garbharran Sandon Garding **Bobby Gautam** Chris Gerke Allen Gerlinsky Eiche Gharabli Josie Gibeault Raymon Gill Pamela Gogowich Valeria Gonzalez Jagpreet Grewal Parmpreet Grewal Quang Ha Gol Harper Noralee Hartwell Karen Hay Ken Headley Fadia Hennawi Sam Hennawi Chris Herbert Kelly Hluchman Ya Hsu Christopher Hudj Rob Hunter Nasren Hussein Gavia Jackson Travis Jay Kirk Jones Shaun Jones Sherri Jonsson Rick Kalakalo George Keen Virakorn Khamsaysouk Debbie Kilbride Jason Kirkcaldy Sarah Kring Annie Krist Nicole Landry

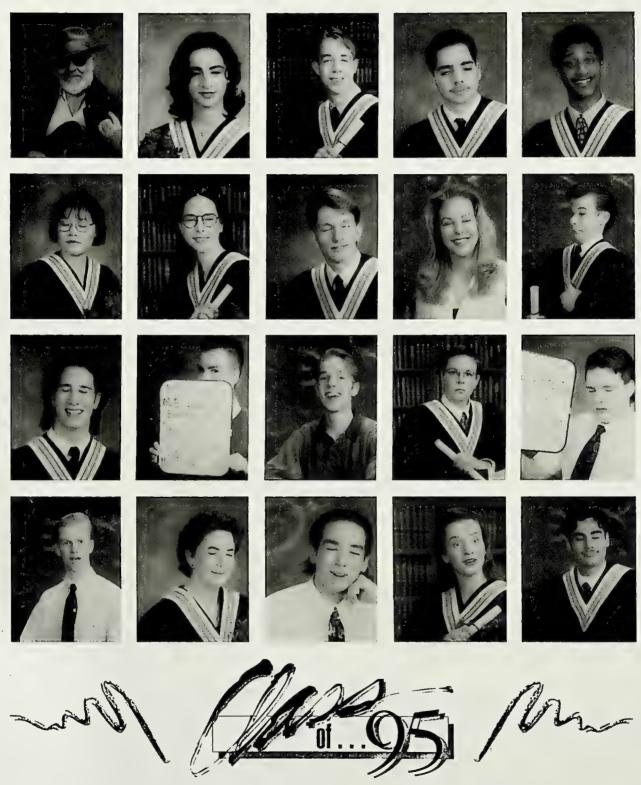
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Amanda Oliveira John Onischuk Renee Ortega Sherri Owen Jennifer Ozechowski Harcharn Kaur Panesar **Daniel Paran** Michael Paris Deanna Patry Nguyen Pham Ron Prasad Dawn Prouencher Arif Qureshi Mohamed Rabah Parminderii Rai Suzanne Raun Shelly Reid Gianna Ricioppo Hutch Ricioppo Michael Rix Andres Rodriguez Christian Rodriguez James Romao Stuart Rose Kelly Ruptash Gurpreet Sagoo Antoine Santrau Yurij Sapiha Kimberly Schimpf Lee Seguin Casey Senkiw Michelle Sheehy Histon Shek Heather Shepherd Tim Shew Maxine Shiwprasad Kevin Simpson Bhagwan Singh **Bobby Singh** Gurcharn Singh

Crystal Skibinski **Gregg Smith** Robert Smith Tricia Anne Soon Susan Soria Gregory Sorobey Zamila Spilde Amanda Stensrud Richard Steppke James Strong Joline Sullivan Sherra Summers Roger Supernault David Switzer Jade Sylvestre Dathon Tee Mike Tokar Jessica Torres Rvan Trenchie Janet Tychkowsky Paulo Vilela-Jones Chantal Villecourt Jody Wadsworth Janette Werbitski Bobby-Lee White Makenzie Wiebe Jessie William Stephen Williams Dale Willimus Lucius Wong Wai Man Elite Wong Trisha Wood Kal Woraschuk Tamara Wujcik Jeff Yachimec Shame Yacie Crystal Young Drysha Zahaylo Shazia Zaidi



## Droopy Eyes





### Baby Face



These are some of the graduates of the class of 1995. See if you can recognize who's who. The pictures are number from left to right and from top to bottom. You will find the answers on page 141.

Far Left: If you look at the picture below this one, it is obvious who these two cuties are. It is honestly a coincidence! Perhaps some parts of our personality actually are already determined when we were babies.













## That's Who?

This page is a continuation of the previous page, but it is numbered separately. Remember, they are numbered from left to right and from top to bottom. The answers can be found on page 141. Have fun!





















### Below: Tim Homenuik and Lena Bunzenmeyer proudly parade down the catwalk. Sassy!

### At the Hop



Hey Cats! Can you dig it? March 10, 1995, the Grad Fashion Show lurched to life taking on the form of a sock hoppin', soda jerkin', fifties theme. Complete with a Greever and a poodle skirt, this group of talented models strutted their stuff to the liking of their peers. As well, the clothing and textiles crew tore up the stage with their own clothing designs. All in all, this fashion show was a success, and that's not square.



Above: Who are you waiting for Mr. Goin?



Above: All you see is plaid! Heather Harris and Janet Dymichkowsky definitely have the look!



Above: Get steppin' girlfriend! Kim Ly struts her stuff.

### Valedictory Speech



Good evening. Tonight, our graduating class celebrates the Commencement. A term frequently used, but not often contemplated, commencement can be equated with a beginning. And indeed, such is the case tonight.

There can be no beginning without an end, and for every end there is a new beginning.

The security that we have grown accustomed to in high school is near completion. We stand here today on the precipice of becoming adults. This transitional point marks the emergence of new objectives, along with a transformation of character and values. This is a subtle change, not perceived in years, but by experience. The lessons we have learned in high school are invaluable. The importance of education and learning are crucial for the progression of both ourselves and society. As every high school students knows, knowledge does not always find its source in a textbook. Our ability to interact with others is developed through the relationships that we possess, and it is from these relationships that we can grow as compassionate individuals.

We have struggled to pass exams, make new friendships, and actually learn something in the meanwhile. Throughout our high school years, the experiences that we have encountered serve as the stepping stones towards that elusive ideal of freedom and independence associated with adulthood.

Every new freedom carries with it an equally new responsibility.

As we enter this new plateau, hesitation and uncertainty are inevitable, as with any change. Our dreams and desires have altered over the years to become more clear, or perhaps more enigmatic. Quite possibly, the greatest changes are still yet to come. We must remember, however, that from each new step taken comes new understanding.

Every graduand here has demonstrated the capability and dedication necessary to become a contributing member of society. The difficulty in the challenges that lie ahead are matched only with the perseverance of this group. The potential of this graduating class is enormous. The knowledge that developed quantum physics, the athletic prowess of an Olympian, and the know-how that constructed the first satellite, all reside within this room. Everyone here harbours a distinct proficiency

anticipating utilization. Some of us have realized this potential already, while some of us continue to search. There is nothing wrong with exploring new venues. It has been said that sometimes the journey itself is the best destination; however, indecision should never induce a reluctance to take the initiative to try because any path taken is better than no path taken.

Though our initial attempt may not be our paramount achievement, with it will come a better understanding of what we truly desire. We have come from different backgrounds with different ideas, but now we emerge as a unified and successful group.

As we leave here tonight to embrace the challenges set before us, I would like to leave you with a quote from Lord Alfred Tennyson accentuating the optimism of our future.

"For I dipt into the future, far as human eye could see,

Saw the Vision of the world and all the wonder that would be."

Thank you, and good night.

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Bijou Thomas





Brea: Good evening ladies, gentlemen, honoured guests, parents...

Susan: ...teachers and fellow graduands. We've been chosen as your class historians. My name is Susan Huculak.

Brea: And I am Brea Chouinard. One of the many memories we share is the constant power to the woman struggle. Many of you must be wondering why there's no male representation up here. If you sit back and think a second I know you'll realize what a dumb question that really is.

Susan: Aren't we more manly than all of the hockey guys put together anyways?

Brea: Except hair wise though.

Susan: Yeah, Darren Reynolds alone kicks our butts in that category.

Brea: But seriously, the three years at LaZerte have been one heck of a ride.

Susan: Most of us have matured from the awkward grade ten geeks we once were.

Brea: And Kenny Buchynski, has a batch of

hair on his chest to prove it. Susan: So does anyone remember our grade ten days? Registration day was awful, we were all dressed up in our Sunday best. We stuck out like nuns at an X-rated movie because no one had told us that it was a cardinal sin to dress

up for registration day.

Brea: But we were quick to learn high school's ten commandments. Now, as seasoned veterans, we learned the exam day dress code; grub, grub, grub!

Susan: Simple yet sassy!

Brea: By the time we got to grade twelve, we had our own dress code.

Susan: Sweats, a hat and no underwear, right Bart Wiebe?

And let's not forget the first day of grade ten. We were all too cool to use the maps provided for us in the student handbook.

Brea: As if we would have known how to read them anyway? What language were they writ-

Susan: And who wrote the room numbers, Chanchoura Bouphasiri?

Brea: You'd need a magnifying glass developed by NASA to read those numbers.

Susan: But being the intellectual individuals

### lass History

that we are, we eventually found everything and settled right in. Some of us even worked up the courage to try out for a sports team. Ah, those were the days, but grade eleven was even more memorable.

Susan: So, Brea, any memories from grade eleven, rugby memories perhaps?

Brea: No, I can't recall anything.

Susan: Didn't I hear about some girl cracking her cheekbone then, walking into walls at school or something along that line. Remember, she was yelling frantically "where's my eye, where's my eye?"

Brea: No, nothing of that sort. I do recall some hilarious grade twelve memories though. How about the time Frances O'Connor drove into

Nicole Dunham's parked car.

Susan: Everyone was standing around the parking lot; they all saw and heard it. The parking lot was practically empty. There was Nicole's car and about one hundred empty parking

Brea: But Frances still managed to smoke that car real good.

Susan: She must have gone to the Jen Ash school of driving.

Brea: There are so many memories about cars and bikes. Remember the time Mitch Campbell and Matt Sharuga inadvertently threw a hamburger at Mr. Auton as he was riding his bicvcle.

Susan: Too bad he caught up with you, hey guys?

Brea: It kind of reminds me of grade ten volleyball, Norm Kapustinski and a cup of applesauce.

Susan: Those guys don't have any luck with

Brea: We also received an anonymous letter about Mike Ljevaja, some choice reading material and his ambition to be a mailman. Susan: I'm not sure what that's all supposed to mean but I'm sure that there are some parents in the audience that understand.

Brea: Enough with the memories, let's play a game. I'll say a name and you say the first thing that comes to your mind. I'll start with an easy one. Jen Ash.

Susan: Car Accidents.

Brea: Heather Thomas. Susan: She's stubby and she's got the fingers

to match. Brea: Janet Dymachowski.

Susan: Easy one. Star Trekkie.

Brea: Pam Bowen.

Susan: First person in history to break her leg miniature golfing.

Brea: Cara Campbell.

Susan: Hey Barbie, where's Ken?

Brea: Marsha Hiew

Susan: Marsha, Marsha!

Brea: Jackie Schur.

Susan: Half woman, half lobster.

Brea: Kam Deng.

Susan: Loud and Rowdy; a real trouble maker.

Brea: Sarah Delorenzo. Susan: Obsess much? Brea: Dana Krywulak

Susan: Sugar and spice and everything nice.

Brea: Cindy Esteves.

Susan: One heck of a hooker! Brea: Just relax; it's a rugby position.

Susan: Now it's my turn. Kristian Basaraba.

Brea: Anorexic!

Susan: Mitch Campbell. Brea: Ooo, those Wranglers.

Susan: Sang Cao.

Brea: What? You failed your driving test?

Susan: Randy Bretzer.

Brea: California boy, Goldielocks, Fabio, Arnold...

Susan: Biju Thomas.

Brea: President of the Speed Demons.

Susan: Bobby Gautum.

Brea: The student formerly known as Prince. Susan: Andy Mah and James Mathewson.

Brea: Didn't they take an expensive film making course in Saskatoon?

Susan: Mark Bently. Both: (Smile and laugh) Susan: Sean Horton.

Brea: The funniest person I've ever met.

Susan: Barry Coleman. Brea: Where's Waldo/Moby?

Susan: Ryan Kaenh. Brea: Cookoo! Our resident sheep herder. Susan: That was fun. As we prepare to sign off, we thought we'd share with you The Top Twelve Things We Will Miss About M.E.

12. Our International G.Q. Men, including Steve, Ronnie, Biju, Sandip, Aly, Salim, Sajid and our favorite Kim Ly.

11. Watching the hockey guys hold up the wall. 10. Amarjit Panesar's satanic giggle.

9. Our backwards system that air conditioned in the winter and heated in the summer.

8. Perogy Day!

7. Our cheerleaders. No wait, our Step Team!

The soccer and rugby rivalry.

5. Our City Champs basketball and football teams!

4. Mall 30 and Spare 30.

3. Mr. Sumyk. No wait, I mean Mr. Myck.

2. Mr. Bererton's bomb making class!

1. Skinny dipping in the rotunda!

Brea: Now in closing, we'd like to leave you with perhaps the wisest words of wisdom we ever learned in high school: No tan is a safe tan! We love you, thank you and goodnight.

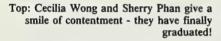
-by Brea Chouinard and Susan Huculak

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Above: Now that they have their diplomas, Jennifer Ash and James Mathewson can breathe easy.

Above Right: Dan Ozegovic hugs Cindy Esteves as they celebrate one of the most anticipated nights of the year.

Right: "I'm free!" Kareena Schnabl gives a radiant smile as she tastes freedom from the public school system.

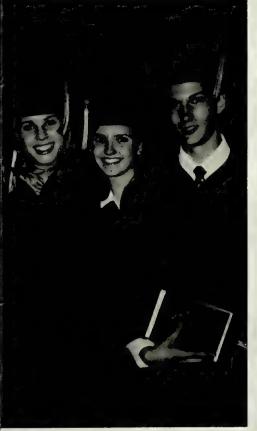
Far Right: Scott Pereira and Nuno Branco, pals to the end.







### Curtain





Far Left: Friends forever, Jennifer Raaen, Dana Dagel, Carly Morrison, Jennifer Ash, and John Hollinger immortalize this important moment by taking a picture together.

Left: This is where it all happened, Carolyn Leung, Nicole Mork, and Heather Solowan pose on the stage upon which they graduated.

Below: Graduation means going separate ways but Cindy Esteves, Narissa Khan, Nadine Khan, Sandy Lau, and Kim Ly decide to spend one more moment together.

Bottom Right: "C'mon, you've got to look perfect". Jennifer Ash gives Carly Morrison a little touch-up with her collar, trying to attain perfection.







Left: "Is it really over?" Reality hasn't really sunk in yet as Darren Reynolds, Jaret Lee, and Barry Colesman give the camera grim smiles.

### Class Prophecy

Hello and welcome. Because of their 20 year reunion coming up, the 1995 graduation class of M.E. LaZerte is the focus of this speech. Our researchers have dug deep to find some juicy little tidbits about this class.

For instance, did you know Bijou Thomas, the once president of M.E. has taken over Nicky Fordinski's job as the smooth talking used car commercial king?

And speaking of smooth talkers, have you seen Chris Sandford's new talk show, "Don't worry, I won't tell!"

And what about Carly Morrison's new talk show, "Don't go there girlfriend". She's kicking her guests to the curb everyday!

Eric Black's drama skills led him to become a karate champion. But he did not lose touch with his artistic side. He became famous for his paintings of the well-known erotic dancer, Sherri Koshman.

And have you heard about once timid now bad girl Cecila Wong? She's a kick-butt lawyer by day, and a Harley Biker chick by night.

After one platinum album, Steve William's band "Wet Dog Hair" broke up but fortunately he still has a steady job as a lounge singer at the Edmonton Municipal Airport.

Speaking of singers, Barry Coleman is now the freshmixer for Jaret Lee's dope posse "Snoop Jaret Dog".

Because of her crazed obsession with Greece and Greece memorabilia, Erin Tennant has produced the new film Greece 3. This film stars Scott Pereira, an up and coming actor who replaced Bob Saget on both Full House and Funniest Home Videos. No-one noticed, however, because of his uncanny resemblance to his idol.

Scott's good friend Paula Bennett is also doing very well on Broadway as the self-proclaimed Theater Sports Queen. She has had sold out shows across the country.

After her debut in M.E.'s grad fashion show, otherwise called "The Fadia Show", Fadia Moustarah became a world renowned model, upon the runways with such greats as the "thinner than Kate Moss", Nadine Khan.

Sean Pasternak, Shawn Symborski, and Darren Lashchowski opened up a chain of successful sports bars, commemorating the greats of hockey. It's obvious that Sean Pasternak designed these bars because they do not contain stairs to prevent any passed out drunks from being dragged up them!

Because of her unusual taste in movies, Jackie Schur, also known as "Rocky", has opened up a specialty movie store featuring such movies as "Mask" and "The Lifeguard".

On a serious note, Darren Reynold's mother phoned us asking for any information to the whereabouts of her son. Many beachcombers, including Brea Chouinard, have claimed to have seen the backside of a great hairy beast, roaming the forest, leaving a trail of hair and hockey pucks behind. Could this be Darren? Kristian Basaraba, after winning several skate boarding titles, as well as a nobel prize in chemistry, now spends most of his time hosting Sesame Street with Little Elmo.

Daryl Swanson is still behind bars after being accused of stalking. Police collected several phone lists, grocery lists, things to do lists, etc., etc., etc., etc.! When will the lists stop Daryl?! Being cheap at Grad paid off for Dan Ozegovic. He became a multi-millionare over night and bought the whole Gap store outlet. He changed the name from "The Gap" to "The Dan". John Hollinger did not live out his dream of becoming a famous soccer player although he did become an Elvis Prestly mascot for the new soccer team, the Memphis Machines.

Olga Michailides, the Greek goddess, decided to further her broomball career with the support and encouragement of her #1 fan, little Tommy Martin. Even to this day, he still cheers her on with his famous call "OLGA".

Janet Dymichkowsky became an astronaut. On her last mission, her troops stranded her on the moon. But don't worry, she still has three hours of oxygen left.

It turns out that Crystal Tremblay's 1976 Chevette became a classic in the year 2000. She sold it for \$1 million but refuses to quit her job at Value Village because of the 50% discount. Sherri Phan, Jen Sargent, Marsha Hiew, Cathy Wong and Jeremy Kwan continue to be the Karaoke Queens and King of the China Palace. Veda Maharajh and Raiven Hansen finally landed that Pepsi commercial with the rest of the Stepteam and are touring world wide with the Michael Jackson impersonators, Rony Mathews and Steve Dhillon. Unfortunately, Raiven ended up looking like her long lost grandma, Lucil.

Ever since grad '95, Filman Zerai, (A.K.A. Fhilzi), has had a fettish with having a matching car for every outfit he owns. To the day, Fil's car collection is over the 1000 mark.

Brad Crowfoot, James Mathewson, Ryan Kaehn, Rick Engels, and the rest of the senior football team continued playing together and eventually all posed for a sexy calender called "Playgirl's Rough and Tough Men".

All through high school, we thought Dana Krywulak was such a happy person but ever since she became a lawyer at the never-ending O.J. Simpson trial, there have been rumors about Prozac usage. Dana, you fooled us all! Patti Escobar and Michael Tokunaga, suprisingly, got married and have had 14 kids and counting. Oh Michael, you devil.

Susan Huculak used her "imaginative mind" to her advantage and became a steamy novelist writing such Harlequin tales like "Three's Company" and "Battle with Desire".

Dana Dagel, the girl without a large intestine,



Above: Hosts of their future show, Sean Horton, Jennifer Raaen, and Dana Dagel deliver their prophetic speech.

and Lis, (spleenless) Russell used their high school surgeries to start their career and are now showing off their scars annually at K-days. And Sean Horton . . . wasn't he the romantic, wonderful, good-looking guy at M.E.? Oh, no! That was Sean Dory. Anyway, after Jim Carey passed away, Sean took his place in the upcoming movie "Ace Ventura Part 16". That's it Folks; that's all she wrote.

- by Sean Horton, Jennifer Raaen, Dana Dagel

Above: Though this may look like an awkward, unexplained couple, Scott Pereira and Tracy Lawrence look mysteriously great together. Right: Ebony and ivory; the gleeful Cecilia Wong and modest Biju Thomas "blend" together at this year's banquet.

### Banquet







Above: (back row) Jaret Lee, Mark Bently, Lana Buerger, Barry Coleman, Dayton Marit, Darren Reynolds, John Hollinger. (front row) Oksana Bayda, Tom Martin, Heather Harris, Janet Dymichkowski, James Leskiw.

Left: To be or not to be... I would guess, TO BE! Mike Tokunaga and and Patty Escobar together, like an "unforgettable" quote.

Answers to page 133:

- 1. Sean Horton and Tim Homeniuk
- 2. Lana Buerger
- 3. Sean Horton and Tim Homeniuk
- 4. Paula Bennett
- 5. Dana Krywulak
- 6. Cecilia Wong
- 7. Amber Bowen
- 8. Kam Deng

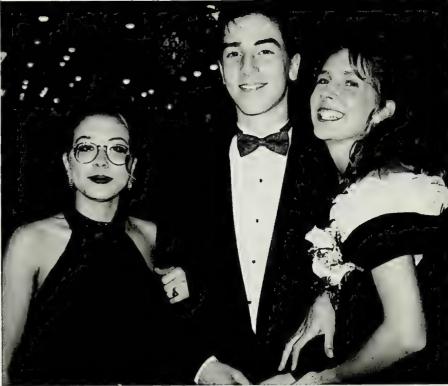
Answers to page 134:

- 1. Kareena Schnabl
- 2. Chanchoura Bouphasiri
- 3. Alex Lim
- 4. Dana Dagel
- 5. Heather Solowan
- 6. Nicole Mork
- 7. Jennifer Raaen
- 8. Jennifer Ash
- 9. Connie Wong
- 10. Ali Taliani

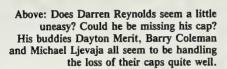
Right: Oh my, Dan Ozegovic's caught between two beauties, Lana Buerger and Oksana Bayda!

Below: Looking elegant as ever, Kim Ly and Mr. Goin pose for the camera.









Right: "She looks like an angel, she walks like an angel...", but is she the devil in disguise? No, not Kim Hamilton.





Above: Grad night seems to have brought out the wild animal in Lena Bunzenmeyer.

It must be the dress, it's way too dangerous!



### Banquet









Top left: Paula Bennett and Tim Homeniuk, don't they make a handsome couple?

Middle left: Here the grad vocalists are preparing to sing "Gone too Soon".

Top right: Carolyn Leung, Nicole Mork, Rahima Remtulla, and Mundeep Grewal.

Above: Mark Wing, Marsha Chow and Sherry Phan all having a great time.

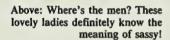
Left: Smile boys! David Spang, James Vanderlaan, and Mike Tokunaga.

### Banquet









Top Left: Kareena Schnabl, Lisa Saiphoo, Cecilia Wong, Connie Wong and Chanchoura Bouphasiri smile patiently for the million cameras.

Top Right: Maria Smashnova and Pedro Rodriguez pose in a classic couples picture.

Right: Jennifer Powell and her date look smashing together. Grandma looks on in extreme joy and happiness.



Right: Kristian Basaraba, Stephen Paholek and Amarjit Panesar. The Three Stooges express their pearly whites!



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Left: The grad theme for this year was "Tomorrow's Wishes, Yesterday's Dreams". Sheri Koshman, Veda Maharajh, Carolyn Leung, and Kim Ly painted this painting based on this theme for grad.

### Sincerely, the Yearbook Troupe

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### **E**pilogue

Take a bow! The curtain closes on another school year, and ideally, the experiences you have accummulated in your one of three "acts" in high school have given you a clearer idea of your potential. We have shown the different roles that we can play when we participated in activities, whether it was being at the receiving end of the pie throwing contest or the distributing end, contributing as a member of a club, supporting school teams as a fan, or simply being a student. With luck, this yearbook has covered the year and at least one of your memorable and amusing roles well. Remember, the roles you assume should not only be for prestige; they should be ones that you feel comfortable with. Go through this book slowly, and hopefully, when you review this play again, you will be inclined to give a standing ovation.



Above: "Yeah? You like my new hairstyle? The pharoah look, you know." Alois Urlep presents his unique look.





Top: The audience waits anxiously for the Lyp Sync to begin. Cathy Wong and Sherry Phan already know that they will enjoy it and, hopefully, this yearbook too!

Above: Here's one role we never give upone of a good friend. How excited Naviman Mayta, Feda Chaaban, Amina Slieman, Nancy Hensen, and Jamely Smilley were to see this picture!



